United Nations A/57/491

General Assembly

Distr.: General
17 December 2002

Original: English

Fifty-seventh session
Agenda item 18
Election of judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Letter dated 13 December 2002 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the President of the General Assembly

I have the honour to transmit the text of resolution 1449 (2002), adopted unanimously by the Security Council at its 4666th meeting, held on 13 December 2002.

Resolution 1449 (2002) reads as follows:

"*The Security Council*,

"*Recalling* its resolutions 955 (1994) of 8 November 1994, 1165 (1998) of 30 April 1998, 1329 (2000) of 30 November 2000, 1411 (2002) of 17 May 2002 and 1431 (2002) of 14 August 2002,

"*Having considered* the nominations for permanent judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda received by the Secretary-General,

"*Forwards* the following nominations to the General Assembly in accordance with article 12 bis, paragraph 1 (d), of the Statute of the International Tribunal:

Mr. Mansoor Ahmad (Pakistan)

Mr. Teimuraz Bakradze (Georgia)

Mr. Kocou Arsène Capo-Chichi (Benin)

Mr. Frederick Mwela Chomba (Zambia)

Mr. Pavel Dolenc (Slovenia)

Mr. Serguei Alekseievich Egorov (Russian Federation)

02-74622 (E) 171202

Mr. Robert Fremr (Czech Republic)

Mr. Asoka de Zoysa Gunawardana (Sri Lanka)

Mr. Mehmet Güney (Turkey)

Mr. Michel Mahouve (Cameroon)

Mr. Winston Churchill Matanzima Maqutu (Lesotho)

Mr. Erik Møse (Norway)

Ms. Arlette Ramaroson (Madagascar)

Mr. Jai Ram Reddy (Fiji)

Mr. William Hussein Sekule (United Republic of Tanzania)

Mr. Emile Francis Short (Ghana)

Mr. Francis M. Ssekandi (Uganda)

Mr. Cheick Traoré (Mali)

Mr. Xenofon Ulianovschi (Republic of Moldova)

Ms. Andrésia Vaz (Senegal)

Ms. Inés Mónica Weinberg de Roca (Argentina)

Mr. Mohammed Ibrahim Werfalli (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya)

Mr. Lloyd George Williams (Saint Kitts and Nevis)

(*Signed*) Alfonso **Valdivieso**
President of the Security Council

United Nations A/57/492

General Assembly

Distr.: General
13 December 2002

Original: English

Fifty-seventh session
Agenda item 18

Election of judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Memorandum by the Secretary-General

I. Introduction

1. By its resolution 955 (1994) of 8 November 1994, the Security Council decided to establish an international tribunal for the sole purpose of prosecuting persons responsible for genocide and other serious violations of international humanitarian law committed in the territory of Rwanda and Rwandan citizens responsible for genocide and other such violations committed in the territory of neighbouring States between 1 January 1994 and 31 December 1994, and to that end to adopt the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda annexed thereto.

2. Elections for the judges of the two Trial Chambers of the International Tribunal for Rwanda were held in 1995. The terms of office of the six judges elected in those elections expired on 24 May 1999.

3. Prior to the expiry of the terms of office of the judges so elected, the Security Council, by its resolution 1165 (1998) of 30 April 1998, decided to establish a third Trial Chamber of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and, to that end, to amend articles 10, 11 and 12 of the Statute of the Tribunal and replace those articles with the provisions set out in the annex to the resolution. It further decided that the elections for the three judges of the third Trial Chamber should be held together with the elections for the six judges of the two existing Trial Chambers.

4. Elections for the nine judges of all three Trial Chambers of the International Tribunal for Rwanda were held in 1998. The terms of office of the nine judges elected in those elections are due to expire on 24 May 2003.

02-74214 (E) 171202

5. By its resolution 1329 (2000) of 30 November 2000, the Security Council decided to increase the number of judges in the Appeals Chambers of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 (the "International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia"). To that end, it decided, inter alia, to amend articles 11, 12 and 13 of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and to replace those articles with the provisions set out in annex II to that resolution. In order that the increase in the number of judges in the Appeals Chambers of the International Tribunals might be made, the Security Council also decided that two additional judges should be elected as soon as possible as judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and that the judges so elected should serve until the expiry of the terms of office of the judges currently serving on the Tribunal.

6. Elections for the two additional judges took place in 2001. In accordance with Security Council resolution 1329 (2000) of 30 November 2000, the terms of office of the two additional judges who were so elected are also due to expire on 24 May 2003.

7. Pursuant to what is now article 12 bis, subparagraph 1 (a), of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, following the amendments that were introduced by Security Council resolution 1431 (2002) of 14 August 2002, the Legal Counsel, on behalf of the Secretary-General, invited by circular letter of 25 July 2002, all States Members of the United Nations and non-member States maintaining permanent observer missions at United Nations Headquarters to submit their nominations for permanent judges of the International Tribunal. In accordance with article 12 bis, subparagraph 1 (b), of the Statute, as so amended, each State was invited to nominate within 60 days of the date of the invitation, up to two candidates, no two of whom were to be of the same nationality. The Legal Counsel also noted that, in accordance with paragraph 1 (b) of article 12 bis of the Statute, candidates might not be of the same nationality as any judge who was a member of the Appeals Chamber of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and who was elected or appointed as a permanent judge of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia in accordance with article 13 bis of the Statute of that Tribunal.

8. The 17 nominations which had been received by the Secretary-General within the period stipulated in subparagraph 1 (b) of article 12 bis of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, as amended by Security Council resolution 1431 (2002) of 14 August 2002, were forwarded by the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council, in accordance with subparagraph 1 (c) of article 12 bis, as so amended, by means of a letter dated 26 September 2002 (S/2002/1106). In that letter, the Secretary-General noted that the number of candidates whose nominations had been received was short of the minimum number of candidates who, in accordance with subparagraph 1 (c) of article 12 bis of the Statute, as amended, were to make up the list which the Security Council was to establish for transmission to the General Assembly. In the light of this information, the Security Council, at its 4621st meeting, on 11 October 2002, decided to extend the deadline for nominations until 15 November 2002. The President of the Council informed the Secretary-General of that decision by means of a letter dated 11 October 2002 (S/2002/1131).

9. The 22 nominations which had been received within the period stipulated in subparagraph 1 (b) of article 12 bis of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, as extended by the Security Council in the decision taken at its 4621st meeting, on 11 October 2002, were forwarded by the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council, in accordance with subparagraph 1 (c) of article 12 bis, by means of a letter dated 20 November 2002 (S/2002/1272). By means of a letter dated 21 November 2002, the Legal Counsel also forwarded to the President of the Security Council, in case the Council should wish to consider it receivable, an additional nomination which had been received by the Secretary-General following the expiry of the period stipulated in paragraph 1 (b) of article 12 bis of the Tribunal's Statute, as extended. At its 4666th meeting, on 13 December 2002, the Security Council, in accordance with paragraph 1 (c) of article 12 bis of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, established a list of 23 candidates for transmittal to the General Assembly. The list was adopted by the Council in its resolution 1449 (2002) of 13 December 2002 and was formally conveyed to the President of the General Assembly by means of a letter dated 13 December 2002 from the President of the Security Council (A/57/491).

10. The list of candidates for permanent judges and the procedure for the election of the permanent judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda are set out below. The curricula vitae of the candidates will be transmitted to the General Assembly in a separate document (A/57/493).

II. List of candidates for permanent judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda

11. The list of candidates for permanent judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda is as follows:

Mr. Mansoor Ahmad (Pakistan)

Mr. Teimuraz Bakradze (Georgia)

Mr. Kocou Arsène Capo-Chichi (Benin)

Mr. Frederick Mwela Chomba (Zambia)

Mr. Pavel Dolene (Slovenia)

Mr. Serguei Aleckseievich Egorov (Russian Federation)

Mr. Robert Fremr (Czech Republic)

Mr. Asoka de Zoysa Gunawardana (Sri Lanka)

Mr. Mehmet Güney (Turkey)

Mr. Michel Mahouve (Cameroon)

Mr. Winston Churchill Matanzima Maqutu (Lesotho)

Mr. Erik Møse (Norway)

Ms. Arlette Ramaroson (Madagascar)

Mr. Jai Ram Reddy (Fiji)

Mr. William Hussein Sekule (United Republic of Tanzania)

Mr. Emile Francis Short (Ghana)

Mr. Francis M. Ssekandi (Uganda)

Mr. Cheick Traoré (Mali)

Mr. Xenofon Ulianovschi (Republic of Moldova)

Ms. Andrésia Vaz (Senegal)

Ms. Inés Mónica Weinberg de Roca (Argentina)

Mr. Mohammed Ibrahim Werfalli (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya)

Mr. Lloyd George Williams (Saint Kitts and Nevis)

III. Procedure for the election of permanent judges

12. The election of permanent judges will be held in accordance with the following provisions:

(a) Article 12 and article 12 bis of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, as amended by the Security Council in its resolution 1431 (2002) of 14 August 2002;

(b) Given the similar nature of the election of judges of the International Court of Justice and the election of judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, it was decided at the time of the previous elections of judges in 1995, 1998 and 2001 to follow similar election procedures in the General Assembly. The Secretary-General suggests that these precedents be followed and that rule 151 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly be applied to the election of permanent judges of the International Tribunal.

13. In accordance with article 12 bis, paragraph 1 (d), of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, as amended by the Security Council in its resolution 1431 (2002) of 14 August 2002, the Holy See, being a non-member State, which maintains a permanent observer mission at United Nations Headquarters, will participate in the election in the same manner as the States Members of the United Nations.

14. On the date of the election, the General Assembly will elect 11 permanent judges from the list of candidates submitted to it by the Security Council.

15. According to article 12 of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, as amended, permanent judges of the Tribunal shall be persons of high moral character, impartiality and integrity who possess the qualifications required in their respective countries for appointment to the highest judicial offices. According to the same provision, due account shall be taken in the overall composition of the Chambers of the International Tribunal of the experience of the judges in criminal law, international law, including international humanitarian law and human rights law.

16. In accordance with paragraph 1 (d) of article 12 bis of the Statute of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, as amended, the candidates who receive an absolute majority of the votes of States Members of the United Nations and of the

non-member States maintaining permanent observer missions at United Nations Headquarters shall be declared elected.

17. The consistent practice of the United Nations has been to interpret the words "absolute majority" as meaning a majority of all electors, whether or not they vote or are allowed to vote. The electors in the General Assembly for current purposes are all 191 Member States, together with the non-member State mentioned in paragraph 13 above. Accordingly, 97 votes constitute an absolute majority in the Assembly for the purpose of the present election.

18. Only those candidates whose names appear on the ballot papers are eligible for election. The electors will indicate the candidates for whom they wish to vote by placing crosses against their names on the ballot papers. Each elector may vote in the first ballot for no more than 11 candidates.

19. If, in the first ballot, the number of candidates obtaining an absolute majority is less than 11, a second ballot will be held, and balloting will continue in the same meeting, if and as necessary, until 11 candidates have obtained an absolute majority. In any second or subsequent ballot, each elector may vote for no more than 11 candidates less the number of candidates who have already obtained absolute majorities.

20. Following the practice in the election of judges of the International Court of Justice, any second and subsequent balloting shall be unrestricted. Votes may accordingly be cast in any second or subsequent ballot for any eligible candidate who has not yet obtained an absolute majority.

21. If, in the first ballot, more than 11 candidates obtain an absolute majority of votes, a second ballot will be held on all candidates, and balloting will continue at the same meeting, if and as necessary, until 11 candidates, and no more, obtain an absolute majority. In any such case, each elector may vote, both in the first ballot and in any subsequent ballot, for 11 candidates.

22. When 11 candidates obtain the required majority, the President of the General Assembly shall declare the candidates concerned elected.

United Nations A/57/493

General Assembly

Distr.: General
16 December 2002
English
Original: English/French/
Russian/Spanish

Fifth-seventh session
Agenda item 18

Election of judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Curricula vitae of candidates selected by the Security Council from nominations received from States Members of the United Nations and non-member States maintaining permanent observer missions at United Nations Headquarters

Note by the Secretary-General*

Contents

		Page
I.	Introduction	3
II.	Curricula vitae of candidates	4
	Ahmed, Mansoor	4
	Bakradze, Teimuraz	5
	Capo-Chichi, Kocou Arsène	7
	Chomba, Frederick Mwela	10
	Dolenc, Pavel	13
	Egorov, Sergei Alekseievich	15

* The present document could not be generated until the Security Council adopted resolution 1449 (2002) on 13 December 2002.

02-65354 (E) 261202

Fremr, Robert
Gunawardana, Asoka de Zoysa
Güney, Mehmet
Mahouve, Michel
Maqutu, Winston Churchill Matanzima
Møse, Erik
Ramaroson, Arlette
Reddy, Jai Ram
Sekule, William Hussein
Short, Emile Francis
Ssekandi, Francis M.
Traoré, Cheick
Ulianovschi, Xenofon
Vaz, Andresia
Weinberg de Roca, Inés Mónica
Werfalli, Mohammed Ibrahim
Williams, Lloyd George

I. Introduction

The Secretary-General has the honour to submit to the General Assembly the curricula vitae of the candidates selected by the Security Council from nominations received from States Members of the United Nations and non-member States maintaining permanent observer missions at United Nations Headquarters, for election as permanent judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994. The list of candidates selected for this election and the voting procedures to be followed in the General Assembly are set out in a memorandum by the Secretary-General issued as document A/57/492.

II. Curricula vitae of candidates

Mansoor Ahmed (Pakistan)

Date of birth: 7 March 1942.

Academic qualifications: Bachelors of Law (1965) from the University of Sindh, Pakistan.

Professional experience

As an advocate, joined the Bar in 1966. In March 1972, was enrolled as an Advocate of Lahore High Court. In 1983, was brought on Roll of the Advocates of the Supreme Court of Pakistan. Worked as an Advocate for 36 years. During this period handled thousands of cases of constitutional, criminal and civil law in superior courts of Pakistan, including cases of human rights.

During this period, besides being appointed Adviser to various government departments, was appointed in 1992 as the Standing Counsel for the Federal Government of Pakistan. In 1996, was appointed as the Prosecutor in high-profile accountability cases.

In 1999, was appointed as Deputy Attorney General for Pakistan, which assignment was held till May 2001.

As Deputy Attorney General, defended State cases including criminal cases at the level of Supreme Court and the High Courts of Pakistan.

On 2 May 2001, elevated as Judge of the Lahore High Court. As judge of a superior court, heard and decided a large number of criminal, civil and human rights cases.

As a serving judge, was made the Secretary, Law, Justice and Human Rights Division, Government of Pakistan, which assignment is presently held. As Secretary, I head the Human Rights Wing and have attended to human rights cases extensively.

As a lawyer of eminence, I was also elected as President of the Bar Association, Rawalpindi, for the year 1992/93.

Working as a serving judge and Secretary of the Law, Justice and Human Rights Division, I have also acquired exposure and extensive experience in general international law, international humanitarian law and human rights law.

Teimuraz Bakradze (Georgia)

Date and place of birth: 5 February 1950, Tbilisi.

Education and academic and other qualifications

1967-1972	Tbilisi State University, Faculty of Law. Diploma.
1977-1981	Institute of State and Law of the Academy of Sciences of the USSR, Moscow. Postgraduate student. Ph.D. in International Law.

Professional activities

2000-present	Director, International Law Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Georgia.
	Chairman, Scientific-Consultative Council of Georgia on International Legal Issues.
	Appointed legal expert to the Council of Europe's Ad Hoc Committee of Legal Advisers on Public International Law (CAHDI).
	Appointed Representative of Georgia to the Council of Europe Group of States against Corruption (GRECO).
1997-2000	Minister Plenipotentiary, Permanent Mission of Georgia to the United Nations Office at Geneva and other international organizations.
	Primary responsibilities included collaboration with the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the International Law Commission. Responsible for communication with the Special Rapporteurs on the question of torture and on the independence of judges and lawyers of the Commission on Human Rights.
	Deputy head of delegation of Georgia, at the fifty-fourth to fifty-sixth sessions of the Commission on Human Rights, Geneva, 1998-2000.
1993-1997	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tbilisi. Director, International Law Department. Responsibilities included supervision over the legal analysis of international treaties; preparation for accession to United Nations, European and other International Conventions, etc. Mediated seminars and workshops in Georgia under the auspices of the Council of Europe on the relevant topics.
	Guest-Representative, Steering Committee on Human Rights (CDDH) of the Council of Europe, 1996, 1997.

	Concept drafter for the OHCHR project for the Government of Georgia on strengthening capacities and infrastructures for the promotion and protection of human rights (GEO/95/AHB/13).
1991-1992	State Committee of Foreign Economic Relations of Georgia, Tbilisi.
	Head, International Legal Department.
1981-1991	Prosecutor, Prosecutor's Office of Georgia.
	Deputy Head, Judicial Organs Department, Ministry of Justice of Georgia.
	Judge on criminal cases of first instance, Municipal Court of Georgia.
	Judge on criminal cases of cassation instance, Supreme Court of Georgia.
1972-1977	Tbilisi State University, Assistant to the Rector of the University.

Training

1990	High-level courses for lawyers, Reno, Nevada, United States of America. Certificate.
1992	Central European University, Budapest. Certificate.
1994	Salzburg Summer School of International Relations, Austria. Certificate.
1996	International Law Institute, Washington, D.C. Certificate.
1997	Courses on international commercial law, Osaka, Japan. Certificate.

Selected honours

Awarded the degree of Docent (Senior Lecturer) of Jurisprudence.

Georgian Nominee for Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe Procedure for Peaceful Settlement of Disputes.

Senior Lecturer of Law Faculty, Tbilisi State University.

Languages

Georgian (mother tongue): good knowledge.

English: good knowledge.

Russian: good knowledge.

Publications

Author of numerous publications on international law and human rights (available upon request in Russian and Georgian).

Kocou Arsène Capo-Chichi (Benin)

Date and place of birth: 30 October 1946, Cotonou.

Languages

French, fluent.

English, written and spoken almost fluent; advanced course at the Anglo School in London.

Honours

Chevalier of the National Order of Benin (Decree No. 92-194 of 31 July 1992).

Officer of the National Order of Benin (Decree No. 97-663 of 31 December 1997).

Education

Doctorate in law: special field of study, economic law, with distinction, University of Orléans, France, June 1987.

Advanced studies diploma in economic law and business law, University of Orléans, France, June 1985.

Diploma in public administration, Centre de formation en administration publique, February 1978.

Master's degree in private law, option: judicial careers and business law, July 1975.

Diploma in regional planning, with honours, Pan-African Development Institute, Douala, Cameroon, June 1971.

Baccalaureate in sciences, Porto-Novo, 1969.

Professional activities

Appointed judge of the Supreme Court, 7 November 2001.

President of the Cotonou Court of Appeal, from 14 April 1997 to December 2001.

Director of the Office of Advisers to the Ministry of Justice, Legislation and Human Rights, from 28 April 1996 to 15 April 1997.

Director of Legislation and Codification at the Ministry of Justice and Legislation, from 27 January 1995 to 15 April 1997.

Legal Adviser to the President of the Republic and, concurrently, the Government's representative to the Seme Petroleum Project, Republic of Benin, from 4 October 1988 to 30 June 1991.

Legal Technical Adviser to the President of the Republic from 30 May 1978 to 30 June 1991.

Deputy Public Prosecutor in Cotonou from 27 April 1978 to 30 May 1978.

Judge a.i. at the Cotonou Court of Appeal from 27 February 1978.

Research and publications

Monograph on the Department of Mungo, Cameroon, published in Douala and Geneva, 1970, 179 pages.

"Reorganisation des structures agricoles du Zou-Nord", published in Douala and Geneva, 1971, 105 pages.

"Dualisme dans le droit judiciare privé en République du Bénin", thesis for master's degree in private law, July 1975.

"Problèmes et reorganisation de l'Office National des Pharmacies", February 1978.

"Les procédés de financement des contrats internationaux à terme: mode de règlement et garanties bancaires", paper for advanced studies diploma, Orléans, June 1978.

"La sous-traitance dans les marchés de développement: obligations et solution des litiges", thesis for doctorate in economic law, Orléans, 22 June 1987.

"L'Afrique face aux défies du nouvel ordre mondial", paper presented to the fifth annual congress of the African Society of International and Comparative Law (ASICL) in Accra, Ghana, published in January 1995 in the ASICL journal, proc. 5, 1993, pp. 197-212.

Co-author of the argument in favour of judicial reform in Benin, drafted at the request of the United Nations Development Programme in Cotonou in August 1998.

Other

Participation in the work of the United Nations Conference on an International Code of Conduct on the Transfer of Technology, Geneva, Switzerland, from 16 October to 11 November 1978.

Member of the Monitoring Committee of the Seme Petroleum Project.

Participation in the meeting of experts in preparation for the fifth summit of the Niger Basin Authority, N'Djamena, Chad, from 21 to 30 October 1987.

Participation in the statutory meetings (Expert Committees, Councils of Ministers) of the African Petroleum Producers Association from November 1988 to June 1991.

Member of the Committee of Experts engaged by the African Development Bank, Abidjan, to study the impact of energy development on the environment from August 1994 to January 1995.

Member of the office of advisers to the serving President of the Afro-Malagasy Common Organization, as Legal Technical Adviser, from September 1979 to December 1984, appointed on 13 September 1979.

Serving Chairman of the Organization of African Unity Ad Hoc Charter Review Committee, from June 1981 to November 1984.

Member of the Board of Directors of the Société bénino-nigériano des Ciments d'Onigbolo, from July 1978 to December 1984.

Member of the Benin delegation to the fifty-first to fifty-third sessions of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights, Geneva, 1995-1997.

Participation in the summer course on the evolution and practice of international human rights instruments, held in Geneva and Strasbourg from 25 June to 4 August 1995.

Participation in the international seminar on interactions between scientific progress, the environment and development, held in Prague from 9 to 14 November 1990.

Participation in the fifth annual congress of the African Society of International and Comparative Law, held in Accra from 20 to 24 September 1993, on the main topic: the United Nations system and the new world order.

Participation in the twenty-third annual congress of the Institut international de droit d'expression et d'inspiration françaises, held in Rabat from 20 to 27 November 12993, on the main topic: institutional and legal aspects of the relationship between industrialized economies and developing or transition economies.

Member of the teaching staff of the Institute for Human Rights and the Promotion of Democracy: Day-to-day democracy, Cotonou.

Member of IDEF, Paris.

President of the Presidium of the meeting on legal reform in Benin, held in November 1997.

Participation in several seminars on intellectual property organized by the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) in Cotonou, Paris and Geneva between 1999 and 2001.

Member of the Steering Committee of the integrated programme to strengthen the Beninese juridical and judicial systems.

Frederick Mwela Chomba (Zambia)

Date of birth: 2 February 1936.

Professional status

Barrister-at-Law, Honourable Society of the Inner Temple, London, December 1965.

Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Zambia, 1967.

Employment record

Current position	Director, Zambia Institute of Advanced Legal Education, Lusaka, since 1 October 1999.
1958-1965	Clerical Officer, Government of Northern Rhodesia.
December 1965-February 1970	Magistrate Class II, rising through the rank of Resident Magistrate to position of Senior Resident Magistrate, exercising administrative and judicial responsibilities as head of station at Chingola, Kitwe and Livingstone, respectively.
February 1970-December 1973	Puisne Judge of the High Court of Zambia at Ndola; Senior Judge from 1971 to December 1973.
January 1974-March 1977	Appointed inaugural Investigator-General (Ombudsman), establishing that office and running it until mid-March 1977.
March 1977-June 1978	Supreme Court Judge.
June 1978-December 1980	Nominated to Parliament and appointed Minister of Legal Affairs and Attorney-General. Exercised parliamentary responsibilities; also Chief Legal Adviser to the Government (status equivalent to that of Queen's Counsel of England and Wales).
1979	Admitted as State Counsel of the Supreme Court of Zambia.
December 1980-April 1986	Minister of Home Affairs. Portfolio included responsibilities for National Police Force, immigration, citizenship, prisons, national registration and other matters.
October 1983	Re-elected as member of Parliament and reappointed as Minister of Home Affairs.
May 1986-1987	Reappointed as Supreme Court Judge. During this period, acted as Chief Justice of Zambia in the absence of the Chief Justice.
1987-1991	Minister of Legal Affairs and Attorney-General.
1991	Appointed a judge of the Preferential Trade Area of the Eastern and Southern African States. Vacated ministerial rank

after defeat of the United National Independence Party in the parliamentary elections of October 1991.

Expatriate appointments

1993	Visiting Judge of the Supreme Court of Namibia.
November 1993-October 1994	Justice of Appeal, the Gambia Court of Appeal.
November 1994-June 1999	President of the Court of Appeal, the Gambia contract of service ended.
July 1999	Declined renewal of contract as President of the Gambia Court of Appeal. Returned home to Zambia.
September 2000-present	Visiting Supreme Court Judge of Namibia.

Private law practice

1992-1993	Practised under the firm style of Mutinondo Chambers, Chester House, Cairo Road, Lusaka.

International conferences attended

1973	Human Rights Seminar, Dar es Salaam, organized by the Human Rights Division of the United Nations.
1976	Seminar on "Human Rights in a One-Party State", Dar es Salaam, organized by the International Commission of Jurists.
1976	First International Conference of Ombudsmen, Edmonton, Canada.
1977	Human Rights Seminar, Monrovia, sponsored by the International Commission of Jurists. Leader of the Zambian delegation. The Seminar laid the foundation of the African Charter on Human and People's Rights.
1982-1985	Attended a number of international conferences on refugees at Geneva.
1986	International Judges' Conference, Massachusetts, United States.
1990	African Bar Association Conference, Abuja.
1995	Colloquium for Judges from African countries, Accra. Topic: "Intellectual Property".
1997	Ninth Annual Conference of the African Society of International and Comparative Law, Abidjan. Theme: "Legal Structures for Improving Compliance with the Rule of Law". Was one of the resource persons.
October 1998	Conference on the Independence of the Judiciary, Mauritius, organized by the African Centre for Democracy and Human Rights Studies. Was one of the resource persons.

March 2000 — Presented paper on "Migration Law and Policy in Southern Africa" at a seminar organized by the International Organization for Migration at Lusaka.

Publications

Functions of the Investigator-General (Ombudsman) of Zambia (Zambian Government Printer, 1974).

Human Rights in a One-party State (International Commission of Jurists, Geneva, 1976).

Miscellaneous

July 2000: Presented a paper on the "Zambian Public Order (Amendment) Act, 1996: Historical Developments from 1964 to 1996", organized by the Permanent Human Rights Commission, Lusaka.

Also presented numerous papers in Zambia and the Gambia as a resource person on themes including "Independence of the Judiciary", "Independence of the Judiciary in a Military Regime", "Intellectual Property", "Human Rights", etc.

Wrote and delivered several leading reported judgements in the High Court and the Supreme Court of Zambia and the Gambia Court of Appeal.

Social, community and recreational activities

1990-1993	President of YMCA of Zambia.
1983-1986	President of Lusaka Golf Club.
	Law Association of Zambia, member.
1968-1970	Rotary Club of Livingstone, member.
1970-1973	Rotary Club of Ndola, member.
1996-present	Advisory Committee of the African Centre for Democracy and Human Rights Studies, Banjul, member.

Chairmanships

1971-1973	Ndola Nutrition Group.
1975-1980	Lusaka Girls' School Parent-Teachers Association.
1994-1999	Inaugural Chairman of the National Council for Law Reporting, the Gambia.

Travel

Widely in Africa, the Middle East, Europe, North America, the former Soviet Union, India, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Australia and New Zealand.

Languages

Highly proficient in both spoken and written English; can speak a number of Zambian languages.

Pavel Dolenc (Slovenia)

Judge of the International Tribunal for Rwanda.

Date and place of birth: 11 January 1942, Pijava gorica, Ljubljana.

Education

1970	State jurisdictional exam, which is prerequisite for judicial, prosecutorial advocate (barrister) and notarial service in Slovenia.
1967	Diploma from the Faculty of Law of the University of Ljubljana on the criminological movement New Social Defence.
1962	Diploma from the Teachers School, Ljubljana (after five years' study and after five years of elementary and four years of secondary school).

Professional qualifications

February 1999	Judge of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, Tanzania (mandate expires in May 2003).
1988-1997	Judge of the Supreme Court of Slovenia, Penal Department.
	Chief Prosecutor of Superior State/Public prosecution office in Ljubljana, Slovenia.
1985	Chief Inspector in Federal Inspectorate for Markets of the former Yugoslavia, Belgrade.
1981	Deputy Prosecutor in the Superior Prosecution Office, Ljubljana.
1970-1981	Assistant and Deputy Prosecutor of the District and Regional Prosecution Office and Chief Prosecutor of the Basic Prosecution Office, Koper, Slovenia.

Membership in professional associations

Member of the Judges Association of Slovenia, of the Association of Lawyers of Slovenia, and of the Association for Criminal Law and Criminology of Slovenia.

Professional activities

In 1994: Member of the Commission for Lawyers State exams in the Ministry for Justice of Slovenia; lecturer and examiner on seminars for Criminal Law at the High School for Internal Affairs in Ljubljana; actively participated in seminars organized by the Supreme Court, the State Prosecution and other State organs of Slovenia.

Participated in and contributed to international seminars in 1993 in Strasbourg organized by the Committee of the European Council for Criminal Matters (CDCP) on the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia; also in 1993, in a seminar on conscientious objection against military service; in 1995, in a seminar on the military judiciary; and in 1998, on money-laundering, all three seminars held in Budapest.

Some of his reports are published in *Legal Practice* and *Judicial Bulletin*, both of which are reviews on legal matters in Slovenia; a paper on legal feasibility regarding the criminal law in Slovenia for the prosecution of international crimes was published also in the international journal *criminal law forum* of the Rutgers University School of Law, Camden, New Jersey, United States of America.

Participated in a working group in the Ministry of Justice of Slovenia on drafting the bill on implementation of Security Council resolution 827 (1993) and the statute of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the act of ratification of the agreement with the North Atlantic Treaty Organization on the harmonization of criminal law.

Knowledge of languages

British Council Certificate of final course of English language (which had also been the subject of eight years of previous study in school).

Sergei Alekseevich Egorov (Russian Federation)

Born in 1946.

Current post: Professor of international law, Diplomatic Academy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, deputy head of department.

Principal activities: Public international law, including international humanitarian law.

Education: In 1977, graduated from the faculty of international law, Moscow State Institute of International Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the USSR; in 1984, obtained a candidate's degree, and in 1999 — a doctorate in international law. He has the academic degree of doctor of law and the title of professor.

Professional activities at the national and international levels

In 1977, joined the Executive Committee of the USSR Union of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies as a senior official, responsible for relations with the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC). He was concerned with various issues of humanitarian law, including problems of implementation. He participated in the preparatory process for the ratification of the two additional protocols to the 1949 Geneva Conventions. In 1978, he had a fellowship with ICRC, and participated in the preparation of programmes of assistance to national Red Cross and Red Crescent societies in the League of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (Switzerland). On several occasions he headed delegations of the Soviet Red Cross, including the delegation to the European seminar on international humanitarian law (Poland, 1979).

From 1984 to the present — assistant professor, professor, deputy head of the department of international law, Diplomatic Academy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation. Deputy head of the specialized council of the Diplomatic Academy on the presentation of dissertations on international law. Teaches international law, specializing in issues of international humanitarian law. Lectured on international law in Afghanistan (1986), Bulgaria (1988) and also at courses on international humanitarian law organized by ICRC in Poland (1989). Conducted research in the field of international humanitarian law in the United Nations (1987, 1991). Member of the Russian delegation at the Russian-American conference "Civil society and the armed forces" (Moscow, Seattle, 1996). Trained hundreds of specialists in international law, most of whom work for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, and also in other governmental agencies and public bodies in the Russian Federation.

Since 1995 — member of the expert council on international law under the President of the State Duma of the Federal Assembly, Russian Federation. Member of the Russian Association of International Law. Member of the editorial board of the Russian Yearbook of International Law. Member of the international commission dealing with the international law aspects of the situation in the former Yugoslavia.

Publications: He has produced more than 40 works on international law (monographs, academic papers, etc.), including:

"*Novoe gumanitarnoe pravo vooruzhennykh konfliktov*" (The new humanitarian law of armed conflicts) (summary). Moscow, *INION* journal, USSR Academy of Sciences, 1980, series 4, No. 6.

"*Naemniki i mezhdunarodnoe pravo*" (Mercenaries and international law). *Sovetsky Krasny Krest* (Soviet Red Cross) journal, No. 12, 1980.

"*Afrikanskoe obychnoe gumanitarnoe pravo*" (African customary humanitarian law) (summary). Moscow, *INION* journal, USSR Academy of Sciences, 1981, series 4, No. 3.

"*Terroristy i mezhdunarodnoe pravo*" (Terrorists and international law). *Sovetsky Krasny Krest* (Soviet Red Cross) journal, No. 9, 1981.

OON i progressivnoe razvitie norm mezhdunarodnogo prava, primenyaemykh v period vooruzhennykh konfliktov (The United Nations and progressive development of the rules of international law applicable in armed conflicts). Collection of academic papers by the department of international law. Diplomatic Academy, USSR Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1985.

Slovar mezhdunarodnogo prava (Dictionary of international law) (co-author). Second edition. Moscow, Mezhdunarodnye otnosheniya (International relations), 1985.

Borba SSSR za gumanizatsiyu zakonov i obychaev boiny (The contribution of the USSR to the humanization of the laws and customs of war). Teaching aid. Diplomatic Academy, USSR Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1986.

Mezhdunarodnoe pravo: Uchebnik (Textbook of international law). Diplomatic Academy, USSR Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1989. Chapters: "*Istochniki mezhdunarodnogo prava*" (Sources of international law), "*Pravo vooruzhennykh konfliktov*" (The law of armed conflicts), "*Pravo mezhdunarodnoy bezopasnosti*" (The law of international security).

"*Mezhdunarodno-pravovaya zashchita grazhdanskikh obektov*" (Protection of civilian targets under international law). *Sovetsky ezhegodnik mezhdunarodnogo prava* (Soviet yearbook of international law). Nauka (Science), 1985.

Regionalnye konflikty i mezhdunarodnoe pravo (Conflicts and international law). Textbook. Diplomatic Academy, USSR Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1988.

"*Vooruzhenny konflikt: pravo, politika, diplomatiya*" (Armed conflict: law, politics, diplomacy) co-author. Monograph. Moscow, Mezhdunarodnye otnosheniya (International relations), 1989.

Articles: "International conflicts and international law; prevention and peaceful resolution of international conflicts", in: *International law and security: military and political dimensions: a U.S.-Soviet dialogue*. New York, 1991.

"*Pervaya Gaagskaya konferentsiya mira: istoriya i sovremennost*" (The first Hague Peace Conference: history and relevance). *Sovetsky ezhegodnik mezhdunarodnogo prava* (Soviet yearbook of international law). Moscow, Nauka (Science), 1992.

"*Vooruzhennye konflikty i prava cheloveka*" (Human rights and armed conflicts). *Diplomaticheskiy ezhegodnik* (Diplomatic yearbook), Moscow, Mezhdunarodnye otnosheniya (International relations), 1992.

Slovar prav cheloveka (Dictionary of human rights) (co-author). Moscow, Mezhdunarodnye otnosheniya (International relations), 1993.

"*Otrazhenie obyazatelstv RF po pravu vooruzhennykh konfliktov v natsionalnom zakonodatelstve*" (Obligations of the Russian Federation under the law of armed conflicts as reflected in national legislation). *Moscovsky zhurnal mezhdunarodnogo prava* (Moscow journal of international law), No. 3, 1997.

Mezhdunarodnoe pravo: Uchebnik (Textbook on international law) (co-author). Moscow, Mezhdunarodnye otnosheniya (International relations), 1988. Chapters: "*Mirnoe uregulirovanie mezhdunarodnykh sporov*" (Peaceful settlement of international disputes); "*Obespechenie mezhdunarodnoy bezopasnosti*" (Ensuring international security); "*Vooruzhennye konflikty i mezhdunarodnoe pravo*" (Armed conflicts and international law).

"The Kosovo crisis and the law of armed conflicts". *International Review of the Red Cross*, March 2000, volume 82, No. 837, p. 183-192.

Aktualnye problemy prava vooruzhennykh konfliktov (Current problems of the law of armed conflicts). Textbook. Moscow, Diplomatic Academy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, 2000.

Mezhdunarodnoe pravo: Uchebnik (Textbook on international law) (co-author). Moscow, *Yurist* (Jurist), 2001. Chapters: "*Mirnoe uregulirovanie mezhdunarodnye sporov*" (Peaceful resolution of international disputes); "*Pravo mezhdunarodnykh dogovorov*" (Law of international treaties); "*Pravo mezhdunarodnoy bezopasnosti*" (Law of international security); "*Pravo vooruzhennykh konfliktov*" (Law of armed conflicts).

"*Vooruzhennye konflikty i mezhdunarodnoe pravo*" (Armed conflicts and international law). Monograph. Moscow, Independent Institute of International Law, 2002 (being printed).

Awards and distinctions: awarded an order and a medal.

Language skills: Russian (mother tongue), English (fluent), French (reading).

Robert Fremr (Czech Republic)

Date of birth: 8 November 1957.

Present position

High Court of the Czech Republic. Presiding Judge, Penal Section (Chairman of the Appellate Panel).

Previous positions

High Court of the Czech Republic. Judge, Penal Section (1989-2002).

Municipal Court in Prague. Judge, Penal Section (1986-1989).

District Court in Prague. Judge, Penal Section (1983-1986)

Education

Postgraduate education at Law Faculty of the Charles University, Prague (Criminal Law), 1989-1990.

Doctor of Law (Law Faculty of Charles University, Prague), 1981.

Law Faculty of Charles University, Prague, 1976-1980.

Other training

Hague Academy of International Law, Human Rights Course.

European Court of Human Rights, Strasbourg, study visit.

Edinburgh University, course in European Law.

Eisenhower Exchange Fellowship, United States of America.

Language skills

English.

Other related activities

External lecturer at Law Faculty of Charles University, Prague (Criminal Law).

Lecturer at the courses for judicial practitioners and judges organized by the Ministry of Justice of the Czech Republic.

Relevant international activities

1995-2001	Representative of the Czech Republic in the Multidisciplinary Group on Corruption (GMC) of the Council of Europe, Chairman of the Working Group on the Funding of Political Parties.
2000-present	Representative of the Czech Republic in the Consultative Council of European Judges of the Council of Europe
1997-2000	Representative of the Czech Republic in the joint European Commission/Council of Europe Octopus project against corruption and organized crime.
2002-present	Member of the group of experts for evaluation teams, Group of States against Corruption (GRECO).

Asoka de Zoysa Gunawardana (Sri Lanka)

Occupation: Judge of the Appeals Chamber of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and of the International Tribunal for Rwanda.

Date of Birth: 6 August 1942.

Professional Qualifications

Barrister-at-Law of the High Court of Australia and the Supreme Court of New South Wales. (Enrolled on 2 November 1984.) Advocate (Attorney-at-Law) of the Supreme Court of Sri Lanka. (Enrolled on 12 June 1967.) Obtained First Class Honours at the Preliminary and the Intermediate Examinations for the Admission of Advocates, and was awarded the Scholarships at both Examinations.

Academic Qualifications

LL.B. University of Ceylon, Colombo, Sri Lanka. (1969).

Ph.D. University of Sydney, Australia (1986). The topic of the doctoral thesis was, "Some aspects of the Law Governing International Investments: Third World Perspectives". The law governing international investments was considered in detail, with special emphasis on Third World Perspectives. In addition, a comparative study of investment laws of Singapore, Sri Lanka, Saudi Arabia. Nigeria and Mexico was also undertaken.

Diploma in Human Rights, the Raoul Wallenberg Institute, University of Lund, Sweden (1993).

Professional Experience

Called to the Sri Lanka Bar in June 1967. After practising at the private Bar till January 1972, joined the Attorney-General's Department as a Crown Counsel.

Functioned in both civil and criminal branches of the department. Appeared for the Crown and later for the State in both civil and criminal cases, in the original as well as in the appellate Courts. The appearance in criminal cases included the framing of indictments and the conduct of prosecutions in more than 1,500 cases, in the High Court, in capital offences, such as murder, attempted murder, rape and robbery. The appeal work consisted of arguing appeals in grave criminal cases and Write Applications, in both the Court of Appeal and the Supreme Court. Giving legal advice to the Government departments and Agencies, in both civil and criminal matters, was also part of the functions.

Promoted as Senior State Counsel in 1978. The additional duties of this office included supervision of work of several State Counsel.

Led the prosecution team in Chandrasekera Dias murder trial before the High Court, involving the death of a Sri Lankan United Nations Expert. This was a case based mainly on circumstantial evidence, and the trial lasted for more than fifty days.

Appointed as Deputy Solicitor-General of Sri Lanka. in February 1986. In 1986, conducted prosecutions before the Special Presidential Commission, appointed to inquire into corruption, misuse and abuse of power by Ministers, Members of Parliament and other high ranking public officers.

Appointed as a Judge of the Court of Appeal of Sri Lanka on 21 March 1988. The work of the Court involves the hearing of appeals from all original Courts and Tribunals, such as the high Court, district Court, Magistrate Court, Primary Court, Labour Tribunal, Agriculture Tribunal and other such institutions. It also exercises Writ jurisdiction in the nature of Habeas Corpus, Certiorari, Prohibition, Mandamus and Quo Warranto.

Appointed as President of the Court of Appeal of Sri Lanka on 10 April 1996.

Appointed as a Judge of the Supreme Court of Sri Lanka on 10 December 1996. The Supreme Court is the final court of appeal from judgements and orders of all lower courts and tribunals. Further the work in the Court involves the exercise of jurisdiction in respect of constitutional matters, protection of fundamental rights, election petitions and consultative jurisdiction.

Appointed Judge of the International Tribunal for Rwanda effective from 31 May 1999.

Judge of the Appeals Chamber of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and Rwanda, since September, 2001.

Academic Activities

Publications

Invited to address the American Society of International Law, at the 86th Annual Meeting (1992) as a Panellist, on the topic, "Bilateral Investment Treaties", this address is now published in the Proceedings of the 86th Annual Meeting of the ASIL (pages 544-550).

Presented a paper on "The Role of Arbitration in the Settlement of Disputes in the Asia-Pacific Region" at the LAWASIA Conference (Sept. 1993), which is published in the Proceedings of the Conference.

Functioned as Tutor at the 1993 Sessions on "Peace and Human Rights" at the Institute of International Public Law and International Relations of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece, and delivered a lecture on "The Right of Self-determination — A Challenge to the Concept of National Sovereignty?" which is published in Thesaurus Acroasium 1993.

An article entitled "An Asian Perspective of Human Rights" was published in the Singapore Journal of Legal Studies, 1994 (pages 521-530).

Presented a paper entitled "The Spread of Child Abuse; a Real Danger to Children's Rights and Health" and presided over the Judicial Sessions at the 14th LAWASIA Conference held in Beijing in August 1995. This paper is published in the Proceedings of the Conference.

Functioned as Tutor at the 1995 Sessions on "International Justice" at the Institute of International Public and International Relations of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece, and delivered a lecture on "The Security Council and the International Court of Justice; are they in Conflict or in Concourse?" which is published in "Thesaurus Acroasium" 1995.

Invited to address as a Panellist at the round table on "The United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child", at the 91st Annual Meeting (1997) of the

American Society of International Law (ASIL). In this address, the suggestion was made to enter into bilateral treaties, to overcome the difficulties in bringing the offenders to book, because of the conflicting jurisdictions, is now published in the Proceedings of the 91st Annual Meeting of the ASIL (pages 86-88).

Invited to address the American Society of International Law, at the 94th Annual Meeting (2000) as a Panellist, on the topic "The Evolution of Substantive International Criminal Law through Specialized International Criminal Tribunals and the ICC". This address is published in the Proceedings of the 94th Annual Meeting of the ASIL.

Participation in Conferences

Participated in 87th Annual Meeting (1993) of the American Society of International Law, and took part in the panel discussion on "New Trends in International Disputes Settlement" and "The United Nations: Meeting the Challenges of the Post Cold War World" (see Proceedings of the 87th Annual Meeting of the ASIL, pages 14-15 and 193).

Participated in Workshops at the Second Amsterdam International Law Conference on Peoples and Minorities in International law which was held from 18-20 June 1992.

Presented a paper on "Growth and Significance of Bilateral Investment Treaties with Special Reference to Sri Lanka", at a Seminar on "Investment Opportunities and Laws Relating to Investor Protection", organized by SAARCLAW (Sri Lanka), held in Sri Lanka, on 11 and 12 July 1992.

Participated as a Sri Lankan Specialist, and chaired the Panel discussion on "Settlement of Commercial Disputes", at a Seminar organized by the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), held in Sri Lanka, from 9 to 11 January 1993.

Participated in the Fifth SAARCLAW Conference held in Dhaka, Bangladesh, from 27 to 29 December 1996, and presided over the Session on "Abuse of Women and Children: The Legal Response".

Participated in the 50th Anniversary Conference of the Faculty of Law, University of Colombo, and Chaired the Session United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women, held in Sri Lanka, from 23 to 26 July 1998.

Participated in the Judicial Colloquium on the Domestic Application of International Human Rights Norms, on the invitation of INTERIGHTS, held in Bangalore, India, from 28 to 30 December 1998.

Participated in the 93rd Annual Meeting of the American Society of International Law held in Washington, D.C., from 24-27 March 1999.

Appointments

Sometime member of the Panel of Arbitrators of the International Centre for the Settlement of Investment Disputes, Washington, D.C., U.S.A.

Sometime Visiting Lecturer and Examiner, University of Colombo, in a Diploma Course in International Trade Law.

Sometime Examiner for the Ph.D. (Law) degree of the University of Colombo.

Mehmet Güney (Turkey)

Ambassador.

Judge in the Appeals Chamber of the International Tribunals for the Former Yugoslavia and for Rwanda.

Date and place of birth: 3 May 1936, Siirt, Turkey.

Studies

Graduate, Prize-winner, Faculty of Political Science, Ankara University.

Graduate, Faculty of Law, Ankara University.

Diploma from the Institute of Public Administration for Turkey and the Middle East.

Diploma in Law and Economic Sciences, European University Centre, Nancy, France.

Languages

French, English, Spanish.

Professional activities

1959-1964	Administrative Assistant in the Office of the Governor of Ankara.
1965-1970	Legal Adviser, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ankara.
1965-present	Barrister, member of the Ankara Bar Association.
1970-1975	Counsellor for Legal Affairs, Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations, New York.
1975-1977	Senior Legal Counsellor, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ankara.
1977-1979	Counsellor for Legal Affairs, Turkish Embassy, The Hague.
1980-1982	Counsellor for Legal Affairs, Permanent Mission of Turkey to the United Nations, New York.
1982-1985	Deputy Chief Legal Adviser, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ankara.
1984-1989	Judge at the European Nuclear Energy Tribunal, Paris.
1985-1989	Chief Legal Adviser, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ankara.
1989-1993	Ambassador of Turkey, Havana.
1 January 1992	Elected by the United Nations General Assembly as a member of the International Law Commission for a term of five years.
1993-1995	Ambassador of Turkey to Singapore.
September 1995	Member of the International Commission of Inquiry for Burundi (appointed by the Secretary-General of the United Nations).
1995-1998	Ambassador-at-large, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ankara.
1998-1999	Ambassador of Turkey to Indonesia.
1999-2001	Judge of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, Arusha.

2001-present Judge in the Appeals Chambers, International Tribunals for the Former Yugoslavia and for Rwanda, The Hague.

International activities

Alternate member, Subcommission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities (1968).

Represented Turkey in the following:

Ninth (March 1968), tenth (November 1968) and twelfth (December 1969) sessions of the European Committee on Legal Cooperation.

First (November 1969) and second (March 1970) sessions of the Subcommittee of the European Committee on Legal Cooperation.

Second session of the United Nations Conference on the Law of Treaties (Vienna, 1969).

First special session of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (Geneva, 1970).

The Committee of the Draft International Convention on the Travel Contract (Strasbourg, 1970).

Ad Hoc Committee for an exchange of views on the report of the third session of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) (Strasbourg, 1970).

Head of the Turkish delegation to the Diplomatic Conference on the Travel Contract (Brussels, 1970).

Symposium organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) on the Pacific Settlement of Disputes (New York, 1973).

Attendance at sessions of the United Nations General Assembly and representative at the Sixth Committee (Legal) of the Assembly in 1970, 1971, 1973-1975, 1978, 1980, 1981, 1983-1986 and 1989-1994.

Twenty-eighth session of the Commission on Human Rights (New York, 1971).

Ad Hoc Committee on International Terrorism (New York, 1973).

Vice-President of the twentieth extraordinary session of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) (Rome, 1973).

International Conference on Air Law (Rome, 1973).

Third to sixth sessions (New York-Geneva, 1971-1974) of the Special Committee on the Definition of Aggression.

Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization (1981, 1982).

Head of the Turkish delegation to the United Nations Conference on the Representation of States in Their Relations with International Organizations (Vienna, 1975).

Representative to the United Nations Water Conference (Mar del Plata, 1973).

Third United Nations Conference on the Law of the Sea, first, third, fourth and seventh to eleventh sessions (1973, 1975, 1977-1982).

Export Committee on the United Nations Conference on Succession of States in Respect of Treaties, Council of Europe (Strasbourg, June 1978).

Special Committee on Enhancing the Effectiveness of the Principle of Non-use of Force in International Relations (New York, April-May 1980).

Ad Hoc Committee on Legal Aspects of Territorial Asylum and Refugees (Strasbourg, March 1979).

Nineteenth session of the Committee on Applications for Review of Administrative Tribunal Judgements (New York, November 1979).

First (1981) and second (1982) sessions of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Drafting of an International Convention against the Recruitment, Use, Financing and Training of Mercenaries, New York.

Representative to the United Nations Conference on Succession of States in Respect of State Property, Archives and Debts (Vienna, 1983).

Head of the Turkish delegation to the Second Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons and Other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Seabed and the Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil Thereof (Geneva, 1983).

Listed arbitrator of the Regional Centre for Commercial Arbitration, Cairo, 1985-present.

Head of the Turkish delegation to the Group of Experts of the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe to Pursue the Examination and Elaboration of a Generally Acceptable Method for the Peaceful Settlement of a Dispute Aimed at Complementing Existing Methods (Athens, 1984).

Rapporteur of the Sixth Committee at the thirty-ninth session of the United Nations General Assembly.

Judge at the European Nuclear Energy Tribunal (1984-1989).

United Nations Conference for the Adoption of a Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Vienna, 1988).

Head of the Turkish delegation to the Eighth United Nations Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders (Havana, 1990).

Arbitrator on the International Panel of Accredited Arbitrators for the Singapore International Arbitration Centre, 1993-present.

Asian-African Legal Consultative Committee, twenty-fourth (1985) and thirty-third (1994) sessions.

Head of the Turkish delegation to the United Nations Diplomatic Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the Establishment of an International Criminal Court (Rome, 1998).

Negotiations conducted on behalf of the Turkish Government

Member of the Turkish delegation to:

Negotiations between Turkey and Greece on the continental shelf of the Aegean Sea (1975-1979).

Negotiations between Turkey and Greece on the airspace of the Aegean Sea (Paris, 1976).

Negotiations between Turkey and Bulgaria on the issues of determining the borderline at the mouth of the Mutludere/Rezovska River, the delimitation of the waters in the Mutludere/Rezovsky Bay, the territorial sea and the continental shelf (Sofia, 1984).

Biographical notes may also be found in *Who's Who in the United Nations* and in *Euro Who is Who* (Who is Who in the European Communities and in the other European Organizations), 4th and 5th editions.

Michel Mahouve (Cameroon)

Date and place of birth: 17 May 1957 at Kribi (Cameroon).

Profession: Judge.

Academic qualifications

Advanced studies

Faculty of Law and Economic Sciences of the University of Yaoundé (1977-1981).

École Nationale d'Administration et de Magistrature (National Administration and Judicial Service Training School) (ENAM) (1981-1983).

University of Paris X — Nanterre and Nantes (1977-1998).

University of Paris II (Panthéon-Assas), since 1999.

Diplomas

DEUG (associate university degree) in private law, 1979 (Yaoundé).

Licence (four-year bachelor's degree) in private law, 1981.

Joint university postgraduate diploma in "fundamental rights", Universities of Paris X — Nanterre and Nantes, 1988.

Diploma from ENAM — Legal Service Training Section, 1983 (first in the entrance examination in 1981 and in the graduating class of 1983).

Professional experience

Grade within the national judicial service: Grade IV, level 2.

Date of entry into the service: 1983.

Service to which attached: Ministry of Justice.

Positions held

Judicial assistant in the Office of the Public Prosecutor attached to the Littoral-Douala Regional Appeals Court, 1983-1986.

Public Prosecutor attached to the courts of Abong-Mbang and Haut-Nyong, 1986-1989.

Judge in the Extrême-Nord-Maroua Regional Appeals Court, 1989-1991.

Vice-President of the same Court, 1991-1994.

Vice-President of the Littoral-Douala Regional Appeals Court, 1994-1998.

Deputy Director of the Criminal Law Department of the Ministry of Justice, 1998-2000.

Inspector in the Judicial Services Inspectorate of the Ministry of Justice, since December 2000.

Participation in seminars, courses, congresses and other international forums and negotiations

Advanced course in common law, conducted in French and organized jointly by ENAM and the Centre international de la "common law" en français of the University of Moncton, Canada (Yaoundé, June 1993).

Seminar on court administration organized by ENAM, Paris, November 1998.

Internship at the Albertville Regional Court, France, November 1998.

Congress of the International Association of Judges, San Juan, Puerto Rico, October 1997.

Meeting of the African Regional Group of the International Association of Judges, Abidjan, April 1998.

Congress of the International Association of Judges, Porto (Portugal), September 1998.

Member of the Cameroonian delegation to the Preparatory Commission for the International Criminal Court, New York, first to tenth sessions (1999-2002).

Seminar on "Access of victims to the International Criminal Court", organized by the French Government, Paris, April 1999.

Member of the Cameroonian delegation presenting the third periodic report of Cameroon to the United Nations Human Rights Committee (sixty-seventh session), Geneva, October 1999.

International training and refresher training workshop for jurists from developing countries and their European counterparts on "International maritime transport law at the dawn of the twenty-first century", Nantes, July 2000.

Second annual conference of the International Corrections and Prisons Association, Cape Town, South Africa, August 2000.

Member of the Cameroonian delegation presenting the second periodic report of Cameroon to the United Nations Committee against Torture, November 2000.

Subregional information and awareness-raising seminar on the International Criminal Court on the theme, "Members of the Economic Community of Central African States and the International Criminal Court: implications and prospects", organized by the Government of Cameroon, Yaoundé, February 2001.

Colloquium on international criminal justice, organized in Limoges, Belgium, in November 2001 by Les Entretiens d'Aguesseau.

Other professional activities

President of the Amicale des jeunes magistrats camerounais (AJMC) (friendship society for young members of the Cameroonian judicial service).

Publications director of the journals *AJMC News* and *Cahiers de l'AJMC*.

Organizer of round tables and conferences sponsored by AJMC on the following themes:

"Internet crime" (Yaoundé, ENAM, November 1996);

"Seizure of vessels under the new merchant marine code" (Douala, January 1997);

"The Hamburg Rules and the new legal regime governing shipowner liability" (Douala, January 1998).

Part-time instructor at ENAM (Legal Division).

Co-author of the second periodic report submitted by Cameroon to the United Nations Committee against Torture.

Member of the Ad Hoc Expert Committee for the Implementation of the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court.

Member of the intersectoral commission charged with drafting the third periodic report of Cameroon to the United Nations Committee against Torture.

Supervised two course-completion papers submitted and defended at the Institute of International Relations of Cameroon for the award of the Diplôme d'études supérieures spécialisées (DESS) (diploma of specialized advanced studies in international relations), with a major in international disputes, for the academic year 1999-2000, by:

Gabriel Nonetchoupo on the topic: "The complementarity of the International Criminal Court" (supervised jointly with Alain Didier Olinga);

Roland Etteko Assoua on the topic: "Advisory services of the Ministry of Justice in the field of international treaties in Cameroon".

Specialized papers

"*Justice et développement économique*" (justice and economic development) (co-authored with Esther Ngo Moutngui, a member of the national judicial service) in *AJMC News*, No. 2, September 1997.

"*Le contrôle juridictionnel des restrictions à la liberté de la presse écrite au Cameroun*" (court supervision of restrictions on freedom of the press in Cameroon) (under the 1996 Act amending and supplementing the 1990 Act on the freedom of social communication). Paper submitted with a view to obtaining a postgraduate diploma in "fundamental rights" at the University of Nantes (1997-1998 academic year).

"*Le droit de ne pas être soumis à la torture à l'épreuve des circonstances exceptionnelles*" (the right not to be subjected to torture as put to the test in exceptional circumstances), in *Juridis périodique* No. 40, October-November-December 1999.

"*Les enjeux en droit camerounais de la ratification éventuelle du Statut de la Cour pénale internationale*" (the implications in Cameroonian law of the possible ratification of the Statute of the International Criminal Court). Paper prepared for the national seminar on the implementation of international humanitarian law in Cameroon, organized by the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC), Yaoundé, March 2000.

"Torture and extradition", article in preparation.

"The penal system under the Organization for the Harmonization of Business Law in Africa (OHADA) Treaty or half way to standardization", article in preparation.

"*La protection des droits fondamentaux de la personne humaine en droit extraditionnel camerounais*" (protection of fundamental human rights under Cameroonian extradition law). Doctoral thesis (new regulations) in preparation at the University of Paris II, under the supervision of Professor Jacques Henri Robert, Director of the Institute of Criminology of the University of Paris II (Panthéon-Assas), viva scheduled for March 2003.

Done at Yaoundé, on 28 August 2002.

Winston Churchill Matanzima Maqutu (Lesotho)

Place and date of birth: Butha Buthe, Lesotho, 11 December 1940.

Educational background

1964	BA (Law), University of Botswana Lesotho and Swaziland.
1964-1969	Honours LLB, University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Professional experience

Practical criminal trial and litigation experience as a practising advocate and attorney of the Magistrates Courts, High Court and Court of Appeal of Lesotho where 50 per cent of practice time was devoted to criminal litigation; experience as a lecturer in criminal law, criminal procedure and evidence at the National University of Lesotho; extensive experience in the conduct of criminal trials as a judge of the High Court of Lesotho since 1993; human rights and civil trial experience as a practitioner and a judge; experience gained through participation in various international and national training seminars on the criminal justice system and human rights litigation.

Relevant training, seminars and conferences

Seminar on Criminal Justice	Namibia, 1991
Seminar on Criminal Justice	Syracusa, Italy, 1992
International Bar Association, Judges Forum	Edinburgh, Scotland, 1995
International Bar Association, Human Rights Seminar	Berlin, Germany, 1996
International Bar Association Conference on Transnational Borderless Crime and Criminal Organizations	Dublin, Ireland, 1996
World Jurists Association Seminar on the Role of the Judiciary in a changing Africa	South Africa, 1997

Professional career

2001	Appointed to the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda in Arusha.
1993 to 2001	Judge of the High Court of Lesotho.
1970-1993	Practising Advocate of the Law Courts of Lesotho where 50 per cent of practice time was devoted to criminal trials in the Subordinate Courts, High Court and Court of Appeal of Lesotho.
1970-1972	Admitted to practice as an attorney of the Law Courts and continued criminal litigation and handling of civil law cases including but not limited to divorces, general commercial litigation and drafting agreements.
1976-1985	Senior lecturer and Deputy Dean of the Faculty of Law, National University of Lesotho; teaching criminal law, criminal procedure and evidence.

Other activities

Member of the Organization of African States Ad Hoc Administrative Tribunal.

Patron of the Lesotho Law Journal.

Patron of the Students Law Review of the National University of Lesotho.

Editor of the Lesotho Law Reports.

Author of the Report on Juvenile Offenders.

Research and publications

Conference papers presented include the following:

Sentencing and Punishment, Magistrates Conference in Maseru, October 1996.

The Right to Legal Representation, Seminar in Maseru, October 1997.

Role of Judges in Lesotho under Constitutional Rule, Dublin, Ireland, May 1996.

Regional Models of Continuous Legal Education with the Administration of Justice, Commonwealth Secretariat Seminar, November 1997.

Role of the Disciplined Forces under the Constitution, Maseru, July 1995.

Human Rights and Constitutional Law in Lesotho, Cape Town, South Africa, January 1997.

Rights of Juvenile Delinquents from a Historical Perspective, Maseru, June 1991.

Periodicals:

Plea Bargaining, Comparative and International Law Journal of South Africa, 1981.

Internal Conflicts of Laws in Lesotho, Comparative and International Law Journal of South Africa, 1987.

Lesotho's Legal System, Modern Legal Systems Encyclopedia, Virginia, 1985.

Historical Constitutional Reality in Lesotho, Lesotho Law Journal, Special Edition, 1989.

Tribute to the Late Sir Thomas B. Smith Regius, Professor of Law, Edinburgh, Lesotho Law Journal, 1990.

Problems of Choice of Forum in the Law of Lesotho, Mohlomi Journal of Southern African Historical Studies.

Books:

Contemporary Constitutional History of Lesotho, Mazenod Printing Works, Lesotho, 1991.

Contemporary Family Law of Lesotho, NUL Publishing House, 1992.

Eric Møse (Norway)

Vice-President, International Tribunal for Rwanda.

Personal details

Born in Oslo on 9 October 1950 (M). Norwegian national. Married, two children.

Current activity

Since 1999: Vice-President, International Tribunal for Rwanda.

Presiding Judge in the following cases:

The Prosecutor v. Ignace Bagilishema (Judgement of 7 June 2001).

The Prosecutor v. Elizaphan and Gérard Ntakirutimana (Judgement in the last quarter of 2002).

Judge in the following cases:

The Prosecutor v. Georges Ruggiu (Judgement of 1 June 2000).

The Prosecutor v. Ferdinand Nahimana, Hassan Ngeze and Jean Bosco Barayagwiza ("The Media Case"), trial in progress.

The Prosecutor v. Eliezer Niyitegeka, trial in progress.

Education and academic qualifications

1976	Law degree, University of Oslo.
1980-81	Studies at the Institut des hautes études internationales, Geneva (CH).
Since 1981	Lecturer in human rights, University of Oslo.
Since 1995	Fellow at the Human Rights Centre, University of Essex (UK).
1996-99	Human rights expert/lecturer for the Council of Europe and the OSCE in Latvia, Russia and the former Yugoslavia.

Main professional activities

1977-81	Counsellor, Norwegian Ministry of Justice.
1981-86	Head of Division, Norwegian Ministry of Justice.
1985-86	Deputy Judge, Eiker, Modum and Sigdal District Court.
1986-93	Advocate, Attorney General's Office (Civil Affairs) Qualified to appear before the Supreme Court from 1989.
1993-99	Judge, Borgarting Court of Appeal, Oslo.

Other national activities

1977-83	Secretary of the Committee that drafted the Immigration Act.
1984-91	Secretary of the Committee appointed to scrutinize the secret services.

1991-93	Chairman, Committee appointed to consider the incorporation into Norwegian law of human rights conventions.
1991-94	Chairman, Committee for the drafting of a new Passport Act.
1992-95	Member of the Complaint Board established under the Gender Equality Act to review decisions of the Gender Equality Ombudsman.
1995-99	Member of the Board of the Norwegian Institute of Human Rights.
1998-99	Member of the Human Rights Committee of the Norwegian Association of Judges.
Until 1999	Chairman of several Norwegian arbitration tribunals.
Until 1999	Human rights expert for several parliamentary and government commissions.

Other international activities

1977-94	Member of several committees within the Council of Europe. Participated in the drafting of Protocols No. 6 to No. 11 of the European Convention on Human Rights.
1980	Expert for the Secretary General of the Council of Europe concerning the justiciability of social and economic rights in Norway.
1984-85	Chairman, Committee of Experts for the drafting of the European Convention for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment.
1992	Chairman, Working Party of National Minorities, Council of Europe.
Until 1993	Agent of the Norwegian Government before the European Commission of Human Rights and the European Court of Human Rights. Pleaded several cases in Strasbourg.
Until 1993	Norwegian representative at the examination by United Nations human rights committees of Norwegian reports.
1993	Chairman, Group of Legal Experts to consider the creation of a judicial organ for States that are not yet members of the Council of Europe.
1993	Participated in two missions to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, in connection with the work of the Ethiopian Constitutional Commission.
1993-94	Chairman, Steering Committee for Human Rights, Council of Europe.
1995	Mission to Rabat, Morocco, organized by UNDP, to draw up a report on the promotion of human rights in Morocco.

Books

Folkerettslige tekster (collection of international treaties), ed., 650 pages.

Menneskerettigheter (Human Rights), 591 pages.

Other publications

Approximately 45 articles, reports, etc. Recent publications include:

"Norway", in *Fundamental Rights in Europe, the European Convention on Human Rights and its Member States, 1950-2000* (Oxford, 2001), pp. 625-655.

"New rights for the new Court?", in *Protecting Human Rights: The European Perspective, Studies in memory of Rolv Ryssdal* (Heymanns Verlag, 2000), pp. 943-955.

"Article 8", in *The Universal Declaration of Human Rights (M. Nijhoff, 1999)*, pp. 187-207.

UN Languages

English and French.

Arlette Ramaroson (Madagascar)

Date and place of birth: 14 August 1944, Diégo-Suarez (Madagascar).

Present position: Elected as judge in the International Tribunal for Rwanda.

Education

1969-1973	School of Law, University of Madagascar.
1971-1973	Judiciary Studies Institute, University of Madagascar.

Diplomas

Baccalaureate in Science with honours.

1971	General Law Studies Diploma.
1973	Bachelor in Law (four years).
	Diploma of the Judiciary Studies Institute (two years).

Certificates of achievement

Certificate of the Malagasy National Committee for the Defence of Human Rights for initiating the forty-ninth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (first celebration).

1998	Certificate of the International Institute for Human Rights of René Cassin (Institut international des droits de l'homme de René Cassin), Strasbourg, twenty-ninth session.
1999	Certificate of the International Centre for Human Rights in Higher Education, Strasbourg.
	Certificate of "Staff College Project — United Nations" on the reinforcement of the national capacity to draw up reports on human rights.
	Certificate of the United States Defense Institute of International Legal Studies on legal aspects of peace operations.
1999, 2000	Certificate of the International Policy Cooperation Department on the Fight against Drugs (French Embassy)

Knowledge of computers

Windows 98.

Internet Training Certificate from the United States Agency for International Development under the Leland initiative.

Honours and distinctions

Chevalier de l'Ordre National.

Officier de l'Ordre National.

Professional experience

1974	Deputy Prosecutor, Diego-Suaréz.
1975	Examining judge and judge at the Court of Summary Jurisdiction, Antananarivo.
1978	Vice-President of the First Instance Jurisdiction, Antananarivo.
1986	Counsellor of the Antananarivo Court of Appeal.
1988	President of the Court of Appeal, Antananarivo (Criminal Court, Court Martial).
1990	Inspector to the Supreme Court, appointed by the National Assembly. Member of the Supreme Court, inspector to the judges of all courts (first Courts and the three Courts of Appeal of Madagascar).
1991	President of the Penal Chamber of the Supreme Court.
1996	Director of International and Interministerial Relations, Ministry of Justice.
	President, Chamber of the Supreme Court, attached to the Ministry of Justice as Director of International and Interministerial Relations.

Other activities

At the national level

1987	Assistant Professor of Civil Law and Penal Law at the University of Madagascar.
1989	Co-founder of the Pan-African Christian Women's Alliance (PACWA) in Madagascar.
	Indian Ocean Regional Coordinator of PACWA (Mauritius, Seychelles and la Réunion).
1990	Member of the Judges Union of Madagascar.
	Member of the Association of Women Lawyers.
1992	Expert member of the drafting committee for the Constitution of Madagascar.
	Member of the Board of Directors of the Rehabilitation Centre for young women "Ny Akany Avoko" Antananarivo.
1996	Steering Committee for the bill for the Constitution of the Malagasy National Commission.
1997	Member of the NGO Malagasy National Committee for the Defence of Human Rights.
	Member of the Commission for Human Rights and Malagasy National Committee for Human Rights.

	Initiator with the American Embassy and member of the International Working Group for the promotion of human rights, representing the Ministry of Justice with national and international NGOs: UNICEF, UNDP, USAID, Doctors Without Borders, at the embassies of France, the United States of America, the United Kingdom, Germany, Switzerland and Mauritius.
1998	Producer of radio talks and debates on human rights in Madagascar broadcast on national and private radio stations.
	Member of the NGO "Anakaviamindreny" (working for the promotion of Antemoro women).
	Member of the committee monitoring the application of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women.
	Member of the ad hoc committee responsible for drafting texts governing the committee monitoring the application of the Convention on the Right of the Child.
	Member of the inter-ministerial committee for a campaign against drugs.
1998-2000	Head of the project on the humanization of pre-trial detention awaiting trial (2,497 out of 3,000 detainees longer than five years).
1999	Member of the organizing committee on the celebration of the fiftieth and fifty-first anniversaries of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
	UNDP consultant on Beijing+5.
2000	UNDP consultant participating in the preparation of the joint review of United Nations programmes on human rights.
	UNICEF consultant on the report on the special session of the United Nations General Assembly on children.
	Expert in the establishment of rural radios in Madagascar.
	Head of the "Open door" project in all courts of Madagascar to raise awareness in the fight against corruption.
	Member of the French and Malagasy Governmental Commission.
2001	Writer of the periodical report to the United Nations Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women.
1999-2001	Vice-President of the Board of Directors of the National Office of Population (in charge of the National Population Programme in Madagascar).
	Member of the Steering Committee of the UNICEF-Madagascar cooperation programme, 1996-2000, and the organizing committee of the 2001-2004 programme.
	Teaching courses on human rights and humanitarian rights at the National School of Judges.

At the international level

1997	Member of the Preparatory Committee on the Establishment of an International Criminal Court (New York).
1999, 2000	Representative of Madagascar at the fifty-fifth and fifty-sixth sessions of the Commission on Human Rights, Geneva.

Workshops and colloquiums

1997	City workshop on childhood.
	Businesses in difficulties.
	Traditional medicine.
	National brainstorming workshop on future relations between the European Union and the African-Caribbean Pacific Group (on legal and institutional matters).
	Training workshop on the National Programme of Governance and Public Policy for a Sustainable Human Development.
1998	Strategy on how to improve the job of judges.
	"Rights of Malagasy Women" (speaker).
	"Slavery and Human Rights in Madagascar" (speaker).
	"The Bible and Human Rights" (speaker).
	Colloquium on women's and children's rights (United States Embassy).
1999	Training on the implementation of the national programmes (UNDP).
	Training on how to run a National Commission on Human Rights.
	Training on the rights of refugees (UNHCR).
	Workshop on the management of the Malagasy Code of Protected Areas.
2000	"Fight against Corruption" (speaker).
2002	"African Dialogue II": Promotion of Justice and Reconciliation in Africa, Arusha.

Languages

Malagasy: excellent knowledge.

French: excellent knowledge.

English: good knowledge.

Jai Ram Reddy (Fiji)

Date and place of birth: 12 May 1937, Lautoka, Fiji

Education

Victoria University of Wellington, 1956-1960.

Legal qualification:

Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand (admitted 1960).

Barrister and Solicitor of the High Court of Fiji (admitted April 1961).

Work experience

Legal experience

1958-1960	Law Clerk, Bell Gully & Co., Wellington.
1961-1966	Staff Solicitor and Associate, A. D. Patel & Co., Nandi, Fiji.
1966-1968	Crown Counsel, Crown Law Office, Suva (on contract).
1968-1970	Principal Legal Officer, Crown Law Office, Lautoka, Fiji (on contract).
1971-1988	Partner — Stuart Reddy & Co., Lautoka, Fiji.
1988-1997	Sole practitioner, Lautoka, Fiji.
	Extensive experience in all facets of legal work, in the area of both litigation and conveyancing.
	Regular appearance in all courts and tribunals in Fiji in respect of both original and appellate jurisdictions.

Public service

1972-1976	Member of the Senate.
1977	First elected to the House of Representatives.
1977-1984	Leader of the National Federation Party and leader of the opposition in the House of Representatives (resigned in 1984).
1987 (April-May)	Attorney General in the Bavadra Government.
1987	Member of the First Constitutional Review Committee established by the Governor General, Ratu Sir Penaia Ganilau (The Falvey Committee).
	Dr. Bavadra's nominee on Deuba Accord Committee, participant and signatory to the Accord.
1992 (February)	Elected member of the House of Representatives (under 1990 Constitution).

1992-1999	Elected leader of the National Federation Party and leader of the opposition in the House of Representatives.
1995-1997	Member of the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on the Review of the 1990 Constitution.
1997-1999	Member of the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on the Agricultural Land and Tenants Act.
2000 (March-August)	President, Fiji Court of Appeal.
January 2002	Reappointed as President of the Fiji Court of Appeal.

Overseas conferences and meetings attended

1978	Member of the Fiji delegation to the European Economic Community/African, Caribbean and Pacific Group of States Council of Ministers meeting on sugar protocol negotiations.
1980	Visitor to the United States of America under the Government's Overseas Visitor programme (observing the United States election campaign).
1987	Member, Dr. Bavadra's delegation to the United Kingdom for talks with the Queen's Representative at Buckingham Palace.
1990	Delegate to the Global Convention of People of Indian Origin (GOPIO), New York.
1993	Visited Canberra as guest of the Australian Government.
1993	Visited London as guest of Hon. Goodladd Minister of State for the Commonwealth.
1994	Visited Wellington as guest of the New Zealand Government.
	Participant and contributor, Asia Foundation Workshop on Human Rights in Asia, Chang Mei, Thailand.
1995	Visited Delhi as guest of the Government of India on the occasion of Indian Republic Day Celebrations.
1998	Member of the Fiji delegation to the Commonwealth Heads of Government meeting, Edinburgh, Scotland.
1999	Joint Commonwealth/UNESCO Symposium, Paris: "Towards a Constructive Pluralism".

Honours and recognitions

1970	Fiji Independence Medal.
1990	Fiji Independence Anniversary Medal.
1990	GOPIO Award in recognition of political leadership (New York).
1998	Companion of the Order of Fiji.

Community service

1977-present	Honorary Legal Adviser to the TISI Sangam.

William Hussein Sekule (United Republic of Tanzania)

Born in June 1944.

Education

Bachelor of Law Degree (LL.B),
University of East Africa.
University College of Dar es Salaam, 1970.
Short course on management for top executives, Institute of Development Management, Mzumbe, United Republic of Tanzania.

Professional experience

State Attorney, Senior State Attorney, Principal State Attorney in the Attorney General's Chambers, United Republic of Tanzania, 1970-1979.

Director of Public Prosecutions in the United Republic of Tanzania, 1979-1987.

Judge, High Court of Tanzania, 1987-present.

Judge, International Tribunal for Rwanda and Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber II, 1995-1999.

Judge of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, May 1999-May 2003, and Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber II from June 2001.

Memberships

Member of the Board of the Faculty of Law, University of Dar es Salaam, 1978-1987.

Member of the Police and Prison Service Commission, 1978-1987.

Attendance and participation in meetings and seminars

Sixth and Seventh United Nations Congresses on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders, Caracas 1980; Milan 1985.

Head of the delegation of the United Republic of Tanzania to the preparatory meeting for the Africa region for the Seventh United Nations Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders, Addis Ababa, 1983. Elected one of the two Vice-Chairmen of the meeting.

Deputy head of delegation of the United Republic of Tanzania to the 39th (1983) and 40th (1984) sessions of the Commission on Human Rights, Geneva.

Five-week visit to the United States of America under the auspices of Crossroads Africa, 1984, to gain familiarity with its judicial institutions.

Commonwealth Law Ministers Conference, Harare, 1986.

Attended and participated in a number of plenary meetings dealing with the adoption and amendments of the Rules of Procedure and matters relating to the functioning of the Chambers and the International Tribunal for Rwanda as a whole, June 1995-2002.

Attended a Seminar on International Humanitarian Law at Arusha organized by the International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies for judges and legal officers of the International Tribunal for Rwanda, 20-22 October 1997.

Represented the International Tribunal for Rwanda, together with two other officials, at a seminar on the subject of cooperation with the Tribunal organized at Dar es Salaam by Parliamentarians for Global Action and attended by a number of Members of Parliament from the National Assembly of the United Republic of Tanzania, as well as government officials. We gave the participants an updated account of the work of the Tribunal and explained the role of Member States in assisting the Tribunal in its work, especially in the areas of urgently putting in place legislations in respective national laws to facilitate the transfer of arrested suspects and accused persons to the seat of the Tribunal, 5 and 6 December 1997.

Attended a joint seminar of judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia in London to discuss common issues relating to discharge of judicial work, September-October 2000.

Attended a joint seminar of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia in Dublin, October 2001, as a follow-up to the issues discussed at the London meeting. These two meetings have been extremely useful and relevant to the discharge of judicial functions.

Emile Francis Short (Ghana)

Date of birth: 6 February 1943.

Current position

1993-present Chairperson, Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice, Accra.

Education

1967 Masters degree in Law (LL.M),
London School of Economics and Political Science,
University of London.

1966 Bachelor's degree in Law (LL.B Honours),
University of London.

Refresher courses

2000 Course on arbitration,
Amsterdam.

2000 Course on judicial writing and adjudication,
Nova Scotia, Canada.

1999 World Bank Institute pilot course: "Controlling Corruption: towards an Integrated Strategy",
Washington, D.C.

1997 "Corruption Prevention, Control and Improved Management",
Washington Management Institute,
Washington, D.C.

1995 "Preventing Fraud and Corruption",
RIPA International, London.

1995 "Human Rights Education and Training",
Commonwealth Secretariat, London.

1994 "Certificate in Human Rights Training Programme",
Canadian Human Rights Foundation, Montreál.

Professional qualification

1966 Barrister-at-Law,
Lincoln's Inn, London.

Professional experience

- Current position

1993-present Chairperson, Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice (Ghana). Major responsibilities include:

Supervising the establishment and operation of administrative structures for this new constitutional and statutory human rights agency;

Negotiating with government and international donors for resources to establish and operate the agency;

Supervising the recruitment of agency staff;

Designing, developing and implementing the complaints processing mechanism for the agency;

Adjudicating complaints of human rights violations and administrative injustice by conducting quasi-judicial hearings;

Writing judicial decisions based on evidence and applicable law;

Vetting judicial decisions written by subordinate staff for accuracy and quality of content;

Resolving complaints by use of alternate dispute resolution techniques;

Designing, developing and implementing educational programmes to raise public awareness and understanding of human rights and the complaint process;

Supervising the preparation and publication of the agency's annual reports, educational materials and special thematic reports;

Participating regularly as resource person in workshops, conferences and seminars organized and conducted by the agency for specific target groups such as the police, the judiciary, youth, women's organizations, political and public officers, religious bodies and the general public;

Identifying and allocating responsibilities to subordinate staff of agency;

Initiating and directing research into topical and pressing human rights issues;

Leading a national cultural review programme to eradicate degrading and dehumanizing cultural practices;

Directing, supervising and occasionally participating in annual inspections of conditions in Ghana's prisons, prison camps and police cells;

Drawing the Government's attention to systemic human rights abuses and calling for remedial action via legislation and administrative policy changes;

Assisting the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ghana in complying with its reporting obligations to the United Nations in respect of United Nations conventions and treaties.

Major achievements

Widespread recognition of assertion of political independence and impartiality of agency.

Successful sourcing of funds from international donors to enhance independence of agency.

Contributed significantly to release of women held in customary bondage through human rights education and advocacy.

Developed and currently in the process of implementing programme for the release and humane treatment of suspected witches.

De-confiscation of assets confiscated during era of military administration.

Lead role in national anti-corruption crusade.

Consultancies

Served as consultant for the Carter Center, United States of America.

For the consolidation of the human rights commission in Liberia, 13-14 March, 1998.

Served as consultant for the Commonwealth Secretariat, London, at capacity-building workshops organized for the Ugandan Human Rights Commission, 3-8 November 1997, as well as for the Cameroon Human Rights Commission.

Served as resource person at various national and international workshops, seminars and conferences.

Previous professional experience

1974-1993	Head of legal firm, Max-Idan Chambers, Cape Coast, Ghana. Active private practice in commercial litigation, conveyance, criminal work, insurance, estate and land matters, and civil appeals.
1977-1984 1992-1993	Part-time Lecturer in Law, Department of Business Studies, University of Cape Coast, Ghana. Instructed undergraduate students in Business and Commercial Law.
1971-1973	Contributing Editor, Lawyers Cooperative Publishing Company, Rochester, NY, United States. Conducted extensive research into state and federal judicial decisions on a wide range of legal topics. Analysed research data and prepared annotated articles on various themes for publication in a leading law practitioners' journal. *American Law Reports — Annotated Third Series* (ALR 3d) (see list of publications).
1970	Legal Officer, New York State Department of Environmental Study, Albany, NY, United States. Drafting and enforcement of environmental protection regulations, legislation and enforcement.
1968	Crown Counsel, Sierra Leone Government Law Office. Provided advisory opinions on pending criminal cases and conducted criminal prosecutions.

1967-1968	Lecturer in Law, Middlesex Polytechnic, London. Responsibility for lectures and tutorials to students taking Higher National Diploma and Higher National Certificate courses.

Extramural activities and appointments

1998	President, African Ombudsman Centre, United Republic of Tanzania.
1996	Member, National Overview Committee of National Institutional Renewal Programme.
1994	Member, Board of Governors of Ghana Legal Literacy and Resource Foundation, Accra.
1993	Chairman, Central Region Bar Association Human Rights Committee.
1992	Member, Committee of Legal Literacy Programme of the Ghana Bar Association.
1991	Chairman, Disciplinary Committee, Central Regional Football Association (Sports Council, Cape Coast).
1990	Vice President, Central Region Bar Association, Cape Coast, Ghana.
1990	Chairman, Selection Committee, Central Region Legal Aid Board.
1979	Member, Ghana Law Reform Commission, Accra.
1976-1978	Member, Supreme Court Rules Committee.

Publications

American Law Reports — Annotated Series, 1971-1973

"Breaking and Entering of inner door as Burglary", 43 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 1147.

"What are appurtenant private structures within provisions of insurance policy expressly extending coverage to such structures?", 43 *American Law Reports*, 3d.

"Effect upon testamentary nature of document of expression therein of intention to make formal will, further disposition of property or the like", 46 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 938.

"Lawfulness of inventory search of motor vehicle impounded by the police", 48 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 685.

"What constitutes residence or domicile within State by citizen of another country for purpose of jurisdiction in divorce?", 51 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 223.

"Retrospective increase in allowance for alimony, separate maintenance or support", 52 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 156.

"Parents' desertion, abandonment or failure to support minor child as affecting right or measure of recovery for wrongful death of child", 53 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 566.

"Permitting unlawful use of narcotics in private home as criminal offence", 53 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 566.

"Revocation of nurse's license to practice profession", 55 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 1141.

"Probate of copy of last will as precluding later contest of will under doctrine of *res judicata*", 55 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 755.

"Conviction of possession of illicit drugs found in premises of which defendant was in non-exclusive possession", 56 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 948.

"Conviction of possession of illicit drugs found in automobile of which defendant was not sole occupant", 57 *American Law Reports* 3d, p. 1319.

Conferences attended

Workshop of National Institutions for the Protection and Promotion of Human Rights, Tunis, December 1993.

Conference on the Child and the Family, Victoria, Canada, June 1994.

Canadian Human Rights Foundation Summer Course, Montreal, July 1994.

Bill of Rights Conference, Zimbabwe, December 1994.

One-day meeting of Europe/African National Ombudsmen, Paris, March 1995.

Inaugural Conference of the Commonwealth Association for Public Administration and Management (CAPAM), Prince Edward Island, Canada, August 1994.

First Tri-continental Conference of Institutions for the Protection and Promotion of Human Rights, Santa Cruz de la Palma, Spain, September 1995.

Commonwealth Conference on Human Rights Education and Training, Christ Church, Oxford, United Kingdom, September 1995.

Conference of National Institutions for the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights in the African Region, Yaoundé, February 1996.

Commonwealth Association for Public Administration and Management (CAPAM), Malta, April 1996.

One-week attachment at the Independent Commission against Corruption (ICAC), Hong Kong, SAR, May/June 1996.

11th Commonwealth Law Association Conference, Vancouver, Canada, August 1996.

International Institute of Administrative Sciences Conference, Brussels, March 1997.

Pan-Commonwealth Seminar, "Democratic Structures in Public Service Improvement", Pretoria, April 1997. Presented paper on "Democratic Accountability — Human Rights and Administrative Justice in Ghana".

Washington International Institute Program Training Program on Corruption Prevention, Control and Improved Management, Washington, D.C., May 1997.

African Society of International and Comparative Law, Ninth Annual Conference, Abidjan, August 1997. Presented paper on "The Role of the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice in Ghana".

Commonwealth Human Rights Initiative/Institute for Public Policy Research Workshop on Commonwealth National Human Rights Institutions: "Promoting Good Practice", 1997. Presented a paper on "The Role of the Ghana Human Rights Commission in Preventing Unlawful Detention, Torture and Degrading Treatment".

African Regional Seminar on "Economic, Social and Cultural Rights", Abidjan, March 1998.

Three-day Consultative Meeting for the Establishment of An Independent Human Rights Commission in Liberia, March 1998.

West African Human Rights Forum, Dakar, April 1998. Presented a paper on "The Role of Ghana's Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice".

Human Rights: Their Protection at the National Level, May 1998, Belfast, Northern Ireland.

Second Conference of African National Institutions, Durban, South Africa, July 1998.

International Conference for the Establishment of a National Commission for the Protection of Human Rights and an Ombudsman, 1998. Presented a paper on "Ghana's Human Rights Commission".

National Integrity Workshop, Accra, October 1998.

Workshop on "The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees and Human Rights in the African Context", Dakar, December 1998. Presented paper on "Human Rights and Refugee Protection".

Commonwealth Convention on Advancing Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, Accra, December 1998. Presented two Papers: "The Relevance of Human Rights Education" and "Awareness-raising through Education and Making Information Accessible, with special emphasis on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights".

The Commonwealth Advocacy for Human Rights, Peace and Good Governance in Africa, January 1999, Harare.

Global Coalition for Africa, Anti-Corruption Meeting, Washington, D.C., February 1999.

Al Gore's Forum on Fighting Corruption, Washington, D.C., February 1999.

Fighting Corruption into the 21st Century (ICAC Silver Jubilee Conference, March 1999).

Twenty-fifth ordinary session, African Commission on Human and People's Rights, April/May 1999, Bujumbura.

Institute of Commonwealth Studies, Fiftieth Anniversary Conference: "Cultures of Democracy: a Commonwealth Perspective", June 1999, United Kingdom.

Special OAU/UNHCR meeting of government and non-governmental technical experts on the 30th anniversary of 1969 OAU Refugees Convention, Conakry, March 2000.

Fifth International Workshop of National Institutions for the Promotion of Human Rights, Rabat, April 2000.

International Coordinating Committee of National Institutions for the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Geneva, April 2000.

Canadian Institute for the administration of Justice: course on decision writing; hearing process; tribunal governance, Halifax, Canada, May 2000.

Commonwealth Conference for National Human Rights Institutions, Sidney, Sussex College, Cambridge, United Kingdom, July 2000.

Africa Launch of *Human Development Report 2000* and Workshop on African Human Rights, Bamako, July 2000.

Conference of the International Institute for Public Ethics, and Transparency International Anti-Corruption agenda in the new decade, Sept. 2000, Ottawa.

Seventh International Ombudsman Institute Conference, Durban, South Africa and visit to the Ombudsman's Office, Namibia (training of staff in investigative procedures), October-November 2000.

Consultative Workshop on the Establishment of the Sierra Leone Human Rights Commission, December 2000, Sierra Leone.

Professional affiliations

Ghana Bar Association.

Francis M. Ssekandi (Uganda)

Positions held

Current: September 2001-Present

Lecturer-in-Law at Columbia University, School of Law.

Founding member of IPM Associates, an international legal consultancy firm.

December 2000 to June 2001: International Consultant

Worked as UNDP International Consultant, attached to Ministry of Justice, Rwanda, Kigali. Reviewed the justice system of Rwanda and prepared a report with recommendations for the reform of the law and judicial system in Rwanda, including the recently adopted law on the "Jurisdiction Gacaca". Advised the Constitutional Commission and the Women's Forum of Parliamentarians on key issues for inclusion in the Constitution, on gender and national reconciliation.

African Development Bank

Special Counsel to the President on Good Governance: May 2000-30 September, 2000.

Researched and prepared recommendations on the role of the Bank in support of programmes of regional member States to promote good governance and the rule of law.

Developed programmes for legal and judicial development to meet the challenges of globalization and poverty alleviation.

Submitted a working policy paper on Good Governance — The Way Forward: for use by the Operations Departments of the Bank, including the Legal Department. (Has become the blue print of the Bank on good governance, including legal and judicial reform).

General Counsel: May 1997-May 2000

Provided legal advice and assistance to the Boards of Governors and Board of Directors, on the interpretation of the Bank's constitutive documents and by-laws.

Conducted negotiations for the general capital increase of the Bank and the replenishment of the Bank's soft window fund.

Provided advice to the Board in the adoption of a statute for establishing the Administrative Tribunal and the selection of judges.

Directed the review and drafting of amendments of the Bank's Articles of Agreement.

Provided legal assistance to the operations, finance and administrative complexes of the Bank: drafting loan agreements in complex construction and infrastructure projects; negotiating and settling commercial disputes arising from the Bank's operations and generally representing the Bank in judicial and arbitration tribunals.

Management and direction of the work programme of the Department.

Drafted the Staff Regulations and Rules of the Bank and Project Finance and Borrowing Instruments.

United Nations service

August 1981 to May 1997

General Legal Division, Office of Legal Affairs.

Principal responsibilities, Deputy Director

Established institutional and operational modalities for United Nations technical cooperation for development and the resolution of international and commercial disputes arising from operational activities.

Drafted and negotiated Model Basic Cooperation Agreements with Governments, and construction contracts with major firms; drafted Financial Regulations and Rules for UNICEF and UNDP.

Represented the Secretary-General in proceedings before the United Nations Administrative Tribunal and other judicial and arbitration bodies.

Negotiated resolution and settlement of major claims by or against the United Nations (aircraft crash in 1980, rehabilitation of pyrethrum plant in 1983) and losses of project equipment in 1980 and 1990.

Evaluated and resolved commercial disputes and tort claims by or against the organization worldwide.

Special United Nations duties

6 June 1996-December 1996

Director. Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General, United Nations Observer Mission for Liberia.

Assisting the Special Representative in advancing the peace process in Liberia, in general, and in particular, directing the affairs of the Office.

Consultant, United Nations Centre on Transnational Corporations (UNCTC), 1979-1980. Analysed Mining Concessions and prepared a report on the legal and operational negotiating strategies for mineral contracts between States and private foreign companies.

Judicial experience

Court of Appeal (Supreme Court) of Uganda: Justice of Appeal since 1978 until early retirement to join United Nations service, 1981. The Supreme Court is Uganda's highest Court of Appeal in civil and criminal matters and also functions as its constitutional court. It is the successor to the Eastern Africa Court of Appeal, which was shared between Uganda, Kenya and Tanzania until 1978. Appointed one of three Justices of Appeal in Uganda.

High Court of Uganda: Puisne Judge 1974-1978. The High Court is a court of record with unlimited jurisdiction in civil and criminal matters. As Judge, was the author of several landmark decisions in civil and criminal cases, especially in the area of

Customary Land Tenure, Women's rights and what constitutes *mens rea* in criminal law?

Litigation

Senior Principal State Attorney in the Department of Public Prosecutions, Ministry of Justice, with responsibility for representing the State in major criminal cases before the High Court and Court of Appeals from 1966-1971.

Academic and professional qualifications

LL.M. (Columbia), 1966; LL.B. (Hons) London, 1965.

Specialized in International Law and Jurisprudence for the LL.B. (Hons) London.

International Economic Development and Legal Theory under Prof. Wolfgang Friedman, and Criminal Law under Prof. Wechesler, the author of the Uniform Penal Code for the United States.

Admitted to the New York Bar, Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York (Third Judicial Department) U.S.A., 1981.

Other positions held

Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan, 1980-1981.

Professor of International Law: Conducted courses in Public International Law, International Economic Law (International Trade, Banking and Regulations), Comparative Law (Civil Law and Common Law) and a Seminar on African Law.

Law Development Centre, 1971-1974.

Director — The Centre is the main body charged with legal research and training of legal practitioners; it is also charged with promotion of law reform in Uganda. Established the Post-Graduate Bar Course for admission to the Uganda Bar in 1973; was Chairman, Uganda Law Council, 1974-1978; organized first regional seminar on the Role of Law in Development (1973).

Visiting Lecturer — Makerere University (1968-1974) and External Examiner at many African universities

Languages

Fluent in English, with a working knowledge of French; attained proficiency in French and attended "Stage de Français langue diplomatique" organized in Paris by the "Université d'été de Perpignan" in November 1990.

Awards received

Recipient of Dean's First Prize in First Year Law School, 1963, and Scholarship as Visiting Student, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, 1963; Scholarship Student, Post Graduate Studies in International Law and Economic Development, Columbia University, 1965.

Subject of biographic record in Who's Who in American Law, 1987-1988, Fifth Edition.

Specialization

Jurisprudence, including issues concerning rule of law, and criminal intent.

Public International Law, including humanitarian law.

International Law of Cooperation in Development.

International Finance and Trade Law.

International Commercial Law and Arbitration.

African Law and Comparative Law.

Publications and writings

Books

Edited: *Elias: New Horizons in International Law* (Second Revised Edition), published by Nijhoff Publishers as a UNITAR Publication.

Articles

Protection of Fundamental Rights in the Uganda Constitution (1994) Constitutionalism in Africa.

Contracts between States and Private Companies (1966) East African Law Journal.

Kondoism — Capital Punishment for Robbery Revisited (1970), East African Law Review.

Autochthony — The Development of Law in Uganda (1983) 5 New York Law School Journal of International and Comparative Law.

Charter of Economic Rights and Duties of States — Law or Rhetoric, in *Elias: New Horizons in International Law* (Second Revised Edition), p. 201.

Law and Development: UNDP National Execution Modality (Liber Amicorum: Ibrahim F. I. Shihata).

Good Governance in Africa — The way forward in: "The Future of Africa", a publication of the New York Society of International Affairs.

Social, Political and Equity Aspects of Land and Property (World Bank Seminar 2002)

Professional memberships, other activities

Member of the American Society of International Law; the American Bar Association; the Association of the Bar of the City of New York; the African Bar Association since 1972; and the Uganda Law Society since 1966. Member, Board of Trustees, International Institute for Rural Reconstruction (NGO) and Board Member, Play Soccer (NGO).

Cheick Traoré (Mali)

Date and place of birth: 31 August 1951, Kayes (Mali).

University degrees

Higher education

Ecole nationale d'administration (ENA), Bamako, 1970 to 1974, diploma in juridical sciences.

Internships or other training

1975	Ecole Nationale de la Magistrature (ENM), Paris; Certificate of the ENM.
1990	Donor round table on employment.
1992	Seminar on the press and press offences; review of the act on the press and press offences.
1992	Seminar on the privatization of the press; drafting of the acts on private radio and television stations and proposed operating terms and conditions.
1997	Forum on justice.
1997	Seminar on human rights and international humanitarian law, organized by the International Committee of the Red Cross and the United Nations Development Programme.
1998	Seminar on the Justice Reform Programme.
1999	Seminar on the review of fundamental texts concerning justice: Penal Code, Code of Criminal Procedure, Minority Act, Act on alternative sentences to imprisonment, and Act on drugs and precursors.
1995-2000	Six series of seminars organized by the United States Defense Institute of International Legal Studies on military justice, armed conflicts and humanitarian law and the role and powers of the International Criminal Court.

Professional status

Original authority: national judicial service.

Branch: judiciary.

Grade: Special grade member of the national judicial service.

Positions held

1976	Tenenkou district judge with extended powers.
1980	Kolokani district judge with extended powers.

1981	Investigating judge of the fourth chamber of the court of first instance, Bamako.
1984	District judge with extended powers of Commune IV, Bamako District.
1985	Investigating judge of the first chamber of the court of first instance, Bamako.
1987	Technical adviser at the Ministry of National Defence.
1989	Principal private secretary at the Ministry of the Civil Service and Labour.
1991	Technical adviser at the Ministry of the Civil Service and Labour.
1991	Principal private secretary at the Ministry of Communications.
1993	Principal private secretary at the Ministry of Youth and Sports.
1996	Technical adviser to the Prime Minister's Office.
1998	General Secretary at the Ministry of Justice.
2001	Adviser to the Constitutional Court of Mali.

Other functions and responsibilities

Senior lecturer at the Institut National de Formation Judiciaire (judicial training institute).

Member of the Panel of Legal Experts of the International Telecommunications Satellite Organization.

Member of the Commission reviewing the Code of Criminal Procedure of Mali.

Vice-President of the National Draughts Federation.

Publications

Manuel à l'usage du juge d'instruction (handbook for use by investigating judges) financed by the Agency for Cultural and Technical Cooperation.

Code of Military Justice of Mali.

Decorations and honours

Chevalier de l'Ordre National du Mali, conferred in 1999 (knighthood).

Xenofon Ulianovschi (Republic of Moldova)

Date of birth: 28 February 1958.

Education and academic qualification

1975-1980	The State University, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova, Law Department.
1993-1998	Doctor's Degree instruction by correspondence, Law Department, "Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania.
June 1998	Doctor of Law Degree. Thesis for Doctor's Degree: "Criminal Complicity".
February 1999	Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, Lund University, Sweden. Advanced International Training Program.
February 2001	Associate Professor, Law Department, International Independent University of Moldova (IIUM).

Professional experience

1980-1986	History and Law Lecturer, Deputy Director of Education Activity. Vocational Technical School No. 2, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova.
1986-1991	Judge, Deputy Chief of the Tiraspol Court of Justice.
1991-1992	Judge, Buiucani District Court of Justice, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova.
1992-2002	Judge, Deputy Chief, Military Court of Justice, Chisinau.
April 1999	Conferred the 1st qualification degree (the highest qualification degree for judges).
Since January 2002	Judge, Military Court of Justice, Chisinau dealing with settlement of criminal cases related to military crimes and other crimes committed by servicemen of any rank (except generals).

Other national activities

1991-1995	Senior Lecturer, Law Department, State University of Moldova, Chisinau.
1995-1996	Senior Lecturer, Police Academy of MIA, Republic of Moldova.
1996-2001	Senior Lecturer, Law Department, IIUM.
2000	Member of a specialized working group. Carried out an expertise of the Draft Criminal Code.

February 2001 — Associate Professor, Law Department, IIUM. Disciplines: Criminal Law, General and Special Parts, Criminal Procedure Law.

Collaboration with international organizations

- **United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR).** Member of the "Working Group for Editing and Elaboration of the Draft Law on Refugees' Status". Elaborated a report on the national legislation compatibility with the international one on refugees matter. As UNHCR expert, presented, alongside judges, prosecutors, deputies and frontier guards, reports and lectures on the term of refugee, principles of application of the Convention on Refugees' Status of 1951 and Additional Protocol of 1967 at over 10 seminars and conferences in the Republic of Moldova, Romania, Czech Republic, Germany organized by UNHCR Moldova Office.

- **Council of Europe and European Commission.** Joint Program between the European Commission and the Council of Europe on the Fight against Corruption and Organized Crime in States in Transition, Octopus II Program:

– Seminar on cooperation with criminal justice agencies and protection of vulnerable targets including witnesses dated 29 September-1 October 1999 in Bratislava, Slovak Republic and dated 12-20 February 2000 in Aschersleben, Germany. During the aforementioned seminars, as a member of the Republic of Moldova delegation, took part in the formulation of recommendations for countries — members of the Council of Europe on measures of protection of people collaborating with justice.

– In 1997, within a working group and in line with the Government Decree No. 210 dated 5 May 1997 performed the verification of the Republic of Moldova's legislation compatibility with European Convention for Human Rights (ECHR). Prepared reports on the national legislation compatibility with Art. 5 of the ECHR (right for freedom), Art. 6 — right for a just trial, Art. 8 — right for personal life and Additional Protocol 7 — right for appeal etc.

– On 2-5 July 1997, within the examination of compatibility of the Republic of Moldova's legislation with the European Convention for Human Rights, visited the Ministry of Justice and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Paris.

- **Constitutional and Legal Policy Institute (COLPI), Budapest.** Acted as an expert within this Institute in the Program of Democratization of Armed Forces. Within the subject Program performed:

– A detailed 250-page study of military legislation of all the CIS-member and Baltic States and its compatibility with the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the 2 Pacts as of 1966 and the European Convention for Human Rights.

– A training for trainers programme on military justice in CIS and Baltic States.

– Elaborated 4 lectures (160 pages) for training seminars on military justice in CIS and Baltic States with topics:

  – International Criminal Law. Subjects of Crime in International Criminal Law. Obligations and Responsibilities of Military Personnel under International Criminal Law. The Main Institutions of International

Military Justice: International Criminal Tribunals and International Criminal Court.

– Aspects of Conscripts Rights in the Context of European Convention for the Protection of Human Rights.

– Concepts and Components of Disciplinary Violations and Military Offences.

– National Models of Military Adjudication in the CIS and Baltic States. Basic Principles of Adjudication and the Independence of the Judiciary.

– Within the subject programme gave lectures at the seminars for trainers on military justice in Latvia, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Moldova.

– Organized in the Republic of Moldova a Center for Refugees' and Servicemen's Rights Protection.

• **Helsinki Committee for Human Rights of the Republic of Moldova.** Collaborated as an expert with the Committee since 1997. Prepared many reports on violation of human rights in Transnistrian region of the Republic of Moldova, Armed Forces and penitentiaries of the Republic of Moldova with regard to access to information and the right for private life. Carried out an analysis of the legislation of France, Switzerland and Quebec from the point of view of access to information. Took part in the majority of national and international seminars organized by this Committee in the Republic of Moldova.

At present, under the aegis of the Helsinki Committee and as a member of a group of experts, analyses the Republic of Moldova's compatibility with the international documents on the fight against torture, inhuman and degrading treatment in penitentiaries.

Participation at international conferences and seminars

United States Defense Institute of International Legal Studies

– Executive Seminar on Military Justice & Disciplined Operations, Chisinau, Moldova, January 1997;

– Executive Seminar for International Law & Peace Operations, Chisinau, Moldova, December 1997;

– Executive Seminar on Peace Operations and Status of Forces Agreements, Chisinau, Moldova, May 2000.

The Crans Montana Forum & the Monaco World Summit under the high Patronage of the Council of Europe and the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe

– International conference "Justice, Banking & Financial Fighting Criminal Activities" that took place on 9-10 December 1999 at Palais de Nations, Geneva, Switzerland;

- International conference "Justice, Banking & Financial Fighting Criminal Activities" that took place on 9-10 December 1999 at Palais du Senat, Paris, France;

Numerous international conferences and seminars on human rights protection in France, Germany, Switzerland, Sweden, Denmark, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Russia, Latvia, Georgia, Azerbaijan, Armenia, Kazakhstan etc.

Public activity

President of the Association of Military Lawyers of the Republic of Moldova.

Director of the Center for Refugees' and Servicemen's Rights Protection of the Republic of Moldova.

Member of the editorial board of the Judges Association of the Republic of Moldova magazine — "Themis" (editing of scientific works and articles on Criminal Law, Criminology and Criminal Procedure Law).

Member of the Scientific Consulting Council of the Supreme Court of Justice of the Republic of Moldova.

Member of the working group on criminal penalty alternatives.

Scientific activity

Published 28 scientific works, articles, monographs, brochures, among which are:

- The Reasons for Violation of Statutory Military Rules. Interpretation of the Legislation and Suggestions.
- Ecologic Offences.
- Criminal and Military Legislation: Suggestions, Statements.
- Right for Freedom.
- Right for Home Inalienability.
- Forethought Murder. Problems of Interpretation.
- Legislation of the Republic of Moldova in the Light of the European Convention for Human Rights (ECHR).
- Term, Characteristics and Forms of Plurality of Offenders.
- Legal Nature of Criminal Complicity.
- Actual Doers as Form of Criminal Complicity
- Criminal Complicity.
- "Nullum crimen sine lege, nulla poena sine lege".
- Arrest and Detention of Foreigners, illegal immigrants and refugees. Ways of exile.
- Criminal Complicity (monograph).
- Recruit's Guide (brochure).
- Alternative Servicemen's Guide.

- Servicemen's Guide.
- Problems related to the term of refugee.
- Criminal Liability of Legal Entities.
- Disciplinary Arrest of Servicemen. Problems and Practice of Arrest Application.
- Criminal Liability of Under-Aged.
- Notions on Complicity in Special Subject Crimes.
- Amnesty in the New Criminal Code.
- Manual of Military Law.
- Term of Military Crime in the New Criminal Code.
- Military Subordination Order Crimes in the New Criminal Code.

Language skills

Romanian — mother tongue, French, English, Russian.

Andresia Vaz (Senegal)

Date and place of birth: 4 February 1944, Dakar.

Professional status and level

Judge, independent grade.

First President, Senegal Court of Cassation.

Judge, International Tribunal for Rwanda.

Diplomas received

Diploma from the Centre national d'études judiciaires (France), 1969.

Bachelor's degree in private law (honours), 1967.

Baccalaureate, Philosophy, 1962.

Positions held since 1969

Examining Magistrate, Court of First Instance, Dakar.

Judge, Court of First Instance, Dakar.

Judge, First Examining Magistrate's Office, and President of the Labour Court, St. Louis.

Dean of Examining Magistrates, Dakar.

Vice-President, Court of First Instance, Dakar.

Judge, Court of Appeal, Dakar.

Judge, Supreme Court, Dakar.

First President, Court of Appeal, Dakar (June 1992).

Chairperson, National Vote Counting Commission of Senegal.

President, Senegal High Court of Justice.

First President, Court of Cassation (February 1997).

Judge, International Tribunal for Rwanda (since May 2001).

Other activities

Election observer in Mali, Togo, Côte d'Ivoire and Benin as co-chairperson of the mission of the National Democratic Institute for International Affairs.

Participation in several international symposia, including:

Meetings of the International Union of Judges.

The International Federation of Women in Legal Careers.

African Women Jurists Federation.

Paix mondiale par le droit (World Peace through Justice).

International Commission of Jurists.

Conference of Commonwealth Chief Judges and Appeals Court Judges.

Lecturer, *École nationale d'administration et de magistrature*, until 1991.

Secretary-General, *Amicale des juristes Sénégalaises* (Senegalese Women Jurists Association).

Former Secretary-General, African Women Jurists Federation.

Secretary-General, *Association sénégalaise d'études et de recherches juridiques* [Senegalese Association for Legal Studies and Research].

Associate Member, International Commission of Jurists.

Former member, Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague.

Languages

French: fluent.

English.

Spanish.

Portuguese: reading knowledge.

Distinctions

Officier de l'Ordre du mérite de la République du Sénégal.

Grand Officier de l'Ordre du mérite de la République du Sénégal.

Chevalier de l'Ordre national du Lion.

Inés Mónica Weinberg de Roca (Argentina)

Born in Buenos Aires, Argentina, on 16 December 1948.

Judge of the National Civil Court of the Federal Capital, 1993-2000; Judge of the Administrative Appeal Court of the City of Buenos Aires since 2000.

Argentine candidate for a seat on the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda in 1994.

Received law degree from the Faculty of Law and Social Sciences of the University of Buenos Aires, Argentina (1971).

Doctorate in juridical and social sciences from the Faculty of Juridical and Social Sciences of the National University of La Plata, Argentina (1972); thesis rated "outstanding" and recommended for the Faculty Prize.

Awarded a fellowship by the Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst for postgraduate studies at the Max-Planck Institut fur Auslaendisches und Internationales Privatrecht in Hamburg (1972-1973). Collaboration with the Max-Planck Institut in the preparation of reports on private international law and foreign law. Dissertation at the Institut on the topic "Recognition of foreign arbitral awards in Argentina", 16 February 1973. Visits to the Institut for further study and refresher courses. Member of the "Freunde des Hamburger Max-Planck-Instituts."

Member of the Institute of International and Navigational Law of the National Academy of Law and Social Sciences, Buenos Aires.

Tenured Professor of International Law and Professor of Private International Law in the Faculty of Law of the National University of Buenos Aires; conducts postgraduate and other courses at the same University and is a member of the editorial board of the *Revista Juridica de Buenos Aires*; Tenured Professor of Public International Law and Regional Integration at the Universidad Argentina de la Empresa, lecturer on human rights and humanitarian law. Tenured professor of Private International Law and Economic Law at the Universidad Argentina de la Empresa. Conducts courses for the Training Commission of the Institute of Higher Studies for Magistrates of the Association of Magistrates and Officials of National Justice and for the Institute of Judicial Studies of the Supreme Court of Justice of Buenos Aires province.

Visiting professor, conducting masters courses and postgraduate courses at the National University of Cordoba, the National University of Rosario, the University of the Twenty-First Century, Cordoba, the Universidad Notarial Argentina, the University of Bologna (in Buenos Aires) and the Centre for Juridical Studies of the University of Rome "Tor Vergata" and at the day devoted to "Roman law and the unification of law, the European and Latin American experience", Rome, June 2000.

Director of Studies of Private International Law at the Hague Academy of International Law (1987).

Member of the panel of judges in the national round of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Buenos Aires, 1999 and 2000.

Argentine representative to the International Institute for the Unification of Private Law (UNIDROIT); head of the Argentine delegation to the Diplomatic Conference organized by UNIDROIT and ICAO which adopted the Convention on International

Interests in Mobile Equipment and the Protocol thereto on Matters Specific to Aircraft Equipment (Capetown, 29 October-16 November 2001). Organized the UNIDROIT Days in Buenos Aires, 1998.

Adviser to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship since 2000. Argentine representative at the Inter-American Conferences on International Law held in Washington, D.C. (4-8 February 2002); Mexico (13-19 July 1994); Montevideo (9-15 July 1989) and La Paz (15-24 May 1984); adviser to the Argentine delegation to UNCITRAL; member of the Argentine delegation at the nineteenth session of the Hague Conference on Private International Law (2001). Rapporteur of the Argentina-Uruguay symposium on the inter-American adoption of minors, Buenos Aires, 24 June 1983, sponsored by the Argentine Comparative Law Association, the Argentine Council for International Relations and the Inter-American Children's Institute of the Organization of American States.

Member of the Joint Technical Commission established by the Agreement on cooperation in legal matters between the Argentine Republic and the Eastern Republic of Uruguay (Decree 2442 of 1986); founding member of the committee which prepared proposals on legal education and professional practice in Argentina (Project of the Ministry of Justice and the World Bank, 1994).

Member of the International Law Association delegation to the Hague Conference on International Private Law in connection with the Special Commission on Foreign Jurisdiction and Sentencing (1997-1999).

Member of the Commission established by the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights to prepare a draft law on private international law (2002). Lead speaker at days devoted to this topic organized by the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights and the General Legislation Commission of the Congress. Member of the Commission for the Reform of Procedural Law (Magistrates Association, 1998).

Member of the Deutsche Gesellschaft fur Rechtsvergleichung (since 1973); member of the "Freunde del Hamburger Max-Planck-Instituts fur ausl. und intern. Privatrecht e. V."; member and member of the governing board (since 1980) of the Argentine Comparative Law Association — member of the committee which organizes special "days" and a lead speaker at a number of them; founding member and member of the governing board of the Argentine — German Law Association; Member of the International Law Association (1972-2000); former Member of the International Bar Association (1980-1988, participated in Congresses in Berlin, Madrid, etc.); member of the American Society of International Law (1995); member and member of the governing board of the Argentine International Law Association (since 1977); Member of the International Unification of Law Section of the Institute of Legislative Studies of the Argentine Federation of Bar Associations (since 1999); member of the Argentine Council for International Relations (CARI).

Participated in the seminar on the International Criminal Court (CARI, 1996); the Inter-American Seminar for the Protection of Human Rights sponsored by the National Committee for the United Nations International Law Programme and CARI (1997); the seminar on international criminal law at Di Tella University (1997); the "Days" on Justice and Democracy, the Crisis and Criminal Law (Buenos Aires, 1997); invited by the Konrad Adenauer Foundation to participate in a seminar on practical aspects of the daily operation of a German court (Germany, 1997), at which

time visited various criminal courts, the Institute of Criminal Science of the University of Munster and the Munster/Hillerup Academy for Senior Police Officers. National Rapporteur on "The role of public law in private international law" for the twelfth Congress of the International Academy of Comparative Law, held in Sydney — Melbourne in 1986.

Participated as lead speaker, rapporteur, panellist, organizer and/or coordinator in 58 events (dissertations, discussions, "days", congresses, conferences, debates, round tables). Chairman of a committee at the seventh Argentine Congress and third Ibero-American Congress on Company and Enterprise Law, Buenos Aires, 1998; won an award for her contribution.

Author of many books, including the following: *Derecho Internacional Privado*, De Palma, 1997, and 2nd edition, updated and expanded, 2002; *Competencia internacional y ejecución de sentencias extranjeras*, Astrea, 1994; national author in *Haus — und Grundbesitz in Argentinien*, Rudolf Haufe Verlag, Freiburg, 1992, updated 1996; *Ferid-Firsching, Internationales Erbrecht in Argentinien*, Verlag C. H. Beck, 1982, updated in 1986 and 1996; *Internationales Ehe- und Kindschftsrecht — Argentinien*, Bergman-Ferid Blatt, Frankfurt-Munich, 1973, updated in 1985, 1986 and 1989. Editor of a work on the Convention on the Rights of the Child, Rubinzal-Culzoni, 2002.

Author of more than 70 articles and essays on legal topics published in Argentina and abroad.

Languages

Spanish, English, German and French.

Mohammed Ibrahim Werfalli (Libyan Arab Jamahiriya)

Date of birth: 30 December 1944.

Current Occupation: Judge at the Supreme Court of Libya.

Academic Degrees

LL.B Degree from the Law School — University of Libya (1969).

LL.M Degree from Harvard Law School — Cambridge, MA, USA (1976).

Professional Experience

The Judicial Work

Public Prosecutor at Tripoli Criminal Courts (1969-1972).

Legal Adviser at the Libyan Secretariat for Foreign Affairs (1973).

Postgraduate student at Harvard Law School, USA (1974-1976).

Public Prosecutor at Tripoli Court of Appeal (1976-1978).

Member of the Libyan Legal Team in the case of the Continental Shelf between Libya and Tunisia, before the International Court of Justice (1978-1981).

Chief Public Prosecutor at the Supreme Court of Libya (1982-1988).

Advocate General at the Supreme Court of Libya (1989-1996).

Judge at the Supreme Court of Libya (1996 to date).

During the above-mentioned period participated, as part-timer, in the following activities:

Participated in the Legal Team defending the National Oil Corporation (NOC) in arbitrations before the ICC International Court of Arbitration in Paris (1977).

Part-time Legal Adviser for the National Oil Corporation (NOC) (1978 to date).

Member of the Legal Committee for Revision of the Penal Code and Penal Procedures Code (1985 to date).

Legal Adviser to the Libyan Central Bank in the case of Freezing the Libyan Assets in the U.S.

Member of the Legal Committee on Claiming Compensation for the Damages Resulting from the Italian Occupation of Libya (1987-1989).

Member of the Libyan Legal Team in the case of Lockerbie before the International Court of Justice (ICJ), (1998 to date).

Chief of the Legal Committee to study the Trial of the Ex-Yugoslav President before the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (2001).

In the field of Commercial Arbitration

In International Arbitration:

Acting as an Arbitrator under the auspices of the International Chamber of Commerce in Paris:

1989: In the case of "Fried Krupp GmbH and others vs. the Executive Board for the Iron and Steel Complex in Libya and others".

1994: In the case of "Monita World Services SRL (Italy) vs. The General People's Committee Secretariat of Industry Libya".

Local Arbitration:

1991: Acting as Chairman of the Arbitral Tribunal in the case of "The National Company of Building Materials vs. The National Maritime Transportation Company".

In Teaching Law

Part-time Lecturer of Administrative and Commercial Laws at the High Institute for Management and Banking Services (1983-1984).

Research Work

In Arabic

The Inalienability Clause in the Libyan Civil Law. An Article published in "Al Adala" Journal: the Legal Periodical of the Libyan Law School.

A typed collection of lectures on the "Principles of Administrative Law", delivered at the High Institute for Management and Banking Services in Tripoli.

"The Material and Procedural Conditions of the Arbitral Award", a paper submitted to the first symposium on commercial arbitration, held under the auspices of the Libyan Bar Association (April 1999).

"The Judicial Immunity for the State and its Property", a paper prepared for the conference which was organized under the auspices of the Afro-Asian Committee on International Law.

In English

The LL.M thesis entitled "The Right to Compensation for Illegal Arrest and Detention as a Human Right in the International Law".

Professional and Cultural Affiliations

Member of the Libyan Bar Association (non-practicing).

Member of the American Society of International Law.

Member of Harvard University School of Law Alumni Association.

International Chamber of Commerce Paris.

Mediterranean Arbitration Council, Milan — Tunis.

Supervisor of the Technical Bureau of the Libyan Supreme Court, which periodically published the "Supreme Court Journal".

Languages

Arabic, English, a fair grasp of French.

Lloyd George Williams (Saint Kitts and Nevis)

Date and place of birth: 16 June 1927, Kingston, Jamaica.

Academic institutions

1949-1950	Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, United States of America.
1950-1952	McGill University, Montreal.
1954-1957	Inns of Court School of Law, The Honourable Society of the Middle Temple.
1958	Hague Academy of International Law, summer course.

Examinations passed

1958	Degree of the Utter Bar.
	Post Final Law Examination, Council of Legal Education, London.

Positions held

1956-1957	Treasurer, West Indian Students Union, London.
1957-1958	First Vice-President.
1963	Chairman, Commission of Inquiry into the affairs of the Portland Parish Council, Jamaica. Inquiry resulted in dissolution of the Council.
1962-1967	Chairman and member of various statutory boards in Jamaica.
	Chairman, Licensing Authority for Rural Transport. Control over all aspects of rural transport and the granting of licences to operate such services, i.e. stage and express carriage licences throughout Jamaica, including but not limited to: (a) granting of all taxi and contract carriage licences throughout Jamaica; and (b) revoking of licences and ensuring the proper operation of services.
	Chairman of the Visiting Committee of the General Penitentiary. Dealing with general conditions at the prison as it affected inmates. Responsibilities included: (a) looking into complaints of prisoners and seeing to their general welfare and (b) serving as a member of the Prison Law Reform Committee, a committee set up to make recommendations for the reform of the laws governing prisons.

	Chairman, Licensing Authority for Employment Agencies. Responsible for: (a) granting of licenses to employment agencies; (b) revocation or non-renewal of licences; (c) investigation of complaints made against them by members of the public and the taking of appropriate action as the circumstances warrant; and (d) serving as arbitrator of labour disputes, including inquiring into the issues between the parties and making the necessary findings and rulings.
1969-1972	Chairman, Beach Control Authority. Chaired this Authority, which controls all public and private beaches throughout Jamaica. Duties included: (a) granting of licences to hotels and other organizations such as private individuals to operate beach facilities along the sea coast; (b) approval of all plans with regard to construction of any structure within 100 yards of the sea coast; (c) authorizing the construction of public facilities on public beaches; preventing erosion of beaches by the removal of sand.

Employment

1959-1978	Self-employed as Barrister-at-Law. As a Barrister, in private practice in Jamaica, maintained a wide and varied practice, including both criminal and civil cases. The majority of my cases dealt with criminal matters. Occasionally, conducted prosecutions for the Crown in Jamaica.
1982-1987	Director of Public Prosecutions in Antigua, W.I.
June 1982	Solicitor General, Antigua.
1982	Appointed as High Court Judge in 1982 and took up my appointment in January 1983.
1992-1993	Appointed High Court Judge on the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court.* Sat on Court of Appeal on many occasions as Acting Justice of Appeal and on one occasion continuously for almost a year.
1999-present	Presiding Judge, Trial Chamber III, International Tribunal for Rwanda. I was selected by the Security Council to be one of the judges of the International Tribunal for Rwanda and elected by the General Assembly in November 1998. I took up my duties in February 1999 and have been carrying out my functions efficiently and competently, and this is confirmed by many observers of the Court.

* Since my retirement from the Eastern Caribbean Supreme Court, I have done temporary assignments on the High Court in Tortola, British Virgin Islands, in 1995, on the High Court in the Turks and Caicos Islands in 1995, and on the Grand Court in the Cayman Islands in 1996 for six months and in 1997 for five months.

I am the Presiding Judge of Trial Chamber III. Since the beginning of my term in 1999 on the Tribunal, I have made many proposals to improve the efficiency of the Court and to save costs. The more significant of these reforms include: (a) introduction of rule 46 (A), which empowers the Tribunal to impose monetary sanctions against counsel who file frivolous motions; (b) successful proposal of amendment to rule 15 (A), eliminating previous provision which precluded a judge who confirmed an indictment from later sitting on the case at trial, thereby optimizing the use of the Tribunal judiciary as a whole; (c) passage of amendment of rules 73 bis (E) and 73 ter (E) which permit parties to make an oral application to the Chamber to amend their list of trial witnesses without the expense and inherent delay of the previously required written motion; (d) introduction of rule 94 (B), which permits a Chamber to take judicial notice of facts already adjudicated in previous proceedings at the Tribunal, thereby dispensing with formal proofs and reducing the length of trial proceedings; and (e) disposing of a significant percentage of motions coming before the Chamber by oral decision, thereby disposing of the parties' motions and avoiding unnecessary delay.

Trial Chamber III is now involved in the trial of three cases, including the "Military" case. The *Semanza* case, involving a single accused, has been completed and the decision is pending, which will be given shortly. In the *Cyangugu* case in which there are three accused, the prosecution case has been completed. One accused is now testifying in his own defence to conclude his case. Thereafter, the other two accused shall present their defence.

The Chamber started the so-called "Military" case in April 2002. This case is significant and has been characterized in the media as possibly the most important case at the Tribunal, because the accused, who had been four top military officers in the Rwandan Government in 1994, are alleged to have been the masterminds of the massacres that took place in Rwanda in 1994.

My present mandate ends in May 2003, during which time it is not possible to conclude the two cases over which I am presiding. I would appreciate it if given the opportunity to continue my work, and in particular to complete these cases before leaving the Tribunal.

Professional law practice

Practice at the English Bar.

Practice at the Jamaica Bar.

Practice at the Cayman Bar.

Practice at the Antigua Bar.

Professional organizations

Member, English Bar.

Member, Jamaican Bar.

Member, Commonwealth Lawyers Association.

Honours and awards

Appointed one of Her Majesty's Queens Council by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II in June 1981 for distinguished service in the law.

Conferences

Have attended numerous international law Conferences, also Junior Chamber of Commerce conferences.

Languages

Fluency in English with some understanding of French.